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BIRTHS.

**COLLINS**—April 27, 1925, the wife of John J. Collins, "Lawville, strand road, Sandymount, of a son.

**DIXON**—May 2, 1925, at 10 Anglesea avenue, Blackrock, to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dixon, a son (Gilliborn).

**HARRIS**—April 17, 1925, at 4 Halliday square, Dublin, the wife of Thomas Harris, Ilveragh House, Island Bridge, Dublin, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

**COMMINS and FARRELL**—April 29, 1925, at the University Church, St. Stephen's Green, by the Rev. J. P. Sheridan, Robert Henry Commins, Solicitor, Dublin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Commins, 11 Cabra road, Dublin, to Gertrude Winifred (Gertie), youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Farrell, Bridge street, Cusan.

**McCREERY and RYAN**—April 27, 1925, at St. Mary Cathedral, Kilkenny, with Nuptial Mass and Papal Blessing, by the Rev. J. Grant, C.C., Charles Bernard Henry McCreery, Larch Hill, Kilkenny, younger son of the late Alex. J. McCreery, John street House, Kilkenny, to Kathleen (Kitty), elder daughter of Michael P. Ryan, Jenkins street, Kilkenny. No cards.

**POPOFF and NUGENT**—April 30, 1925, at St. Philip's Church, Paris, Captain Michel Popoff, to Mary Theresa (May) Nugent.

SILVER WEDDING.

**McCOURT and CARVEY**—May 4, 1900, at the Roman Catholic Church, Castlebar, by the Rev. Father O'Doherty, Henry F. McCourt, of Roscommon, to Rose Carvey, of Castlebar.

DEATHS.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 8.**

**AUSTIN**—May 2, 1925, at her residence, Ballinaharsoon, Batterstown, County Meath, Mary, widow of the late James Austin, deeply regretted by her sorrowing family. May she rest in peace. Office and High Mass in Batterstown Church this day (Monday) at 12 o'clock (new time). Funeral immediately afterwards. No flowers.

**BECHER**—April 30, 1925, at the Woodroffe Nursing Home, Cork, Lucy Brougham Becher, third daughter of the late John R. H. Becher, aged 67 years.

**BUTLER**—May 1, 1925, at 31 Wellington road, Monica Constance Butler, youngest daughter of late Sir Richard F. Butler, Bart., of Ballin Temple, Tullow, County Carlow, in her 75th year. Funeral private. No flowers.

**CONDON**—At her parents' residence, 7 Duncairn avenue, Inchy, Maureen, only and much-loved child of Willie and Jennie Condon.

**CRIBBIN**—May 3, 1925, at her residence, Grange, Edenderry, Kina's County, Jane, beloved wife of Mark Cribbin, R.I.P. Funeral to-morrow (Tuesday) from Clogherinkoe Chapel at 2 o'clock (old time).

**FITZPATRICK**—May 3, 1925, at Baggot street Hospital, result of an accident, Marie Therese (Bubbles), darling and loving child of Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Fitzpatrick, 23 Wellington place, Clyde road, Dublin. Funeral strictly private.

**FRENCH**—May 2, 1925, Dorothy Vera, daughter of the late J. A. French, St. Ann's, Donnybrook, R.I.P. Funeral private. No flowers.

FRINSEAC—An 2ao Deaicaine, 1925, Deora, ingean Seatain Fhinseac (nac maigeann), t'ac nlann dine, Domnac Dhoc. Ar dtug Dé go rabh a h-anam.

**GOWAN**—April 2, 1925, as the result of an accident, at Notukeau Creek, Gravelbourg, Sask., Francis (Birdy), eldest and dearly-beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Gowan, Clonminch, aged 26 years.

"He hard to break the tender cord
When love has bound the heart;
'Tis hard—so hard—to speak the words,
We must for ever part."
Dearest loved one, we must lay thee
In the peaceful grave's embrace,
But thy memory will be cherished
Till we see thy heavenly face.

**HOLTON**—April 29, 1925, at Strokestown, James Soden Holton, Esq., Chemist, aged 85 years, brother of the late Edward Soden Holton, M.D., Maguire's Bridge, and the late Joseph Soden Holton, Esq., Chemist, Nenagh. Funeral took place on Friday, May 1st, to family burial ground, Strokestown.

**HOWE**—May 3, 1925, Aileen, elder daughter of Randall and Nina Howe, Sydenham Villas, Bray. Service at Christ Church to-morrow (Tuesday) at 8.30. Funeral (private) to Dunnickerry.

**JUDD**—May 3, 1925, Milo, fourth son of Mr. Michael F. Judd, P.C., aged 26 years. R.I.P.

**KEEGAN**—May 1, 1925, Mary Isabella Keegan, aged 80 years, wife of the late Richard Keegan, Gleesy, County Wexford, and last surviving sister of the late Dr. C. A. Johnstone, Inistioge, County Kilkenny. At rest. Funeral to St. James's to-day (Monday) at 10.30 a.m.

**LARDNER**—May 3, 1925, at Private Nursing Home, Bournemouth, James C. R. Lardner, K.C., 93 Allenberry road, Dublin. R.I.P. Funeral (private) to-morrow (Tuesday) morning from Church of the Sacred Heart, Donnybrook, after 9 o'clock Mass, to Glasnevin. No flowers.

**LYNCH**—April 28, 1925, at hospital, Geoffrey Victor, Sergeant, East Kents, after six years' suffering, second son of George F. and Mrs. Lynch, Cranfield House, Kilcoole, Tuam, County Galway, aged 34 years. "What I do thou knowest not now but thou shalt know hereafter."

**McKAY**—April 28, 1925, at Kill, Rathangan, Kildare, Eliza McKay, in her 80th year.

**McLEOD**—At her residence, 60 Donegall Pass, Belfast, Annie Letitia, the dearly-loved wife of Rev. Charles McLeod, St. Jude's, Belfast, and sister of Lily Airey, lately of Ayr Ville, Sandycove. Funeral will arrive at Mount Jerome Cemetery to-morrow (Tuesday), 5th inst., at 3 o'clock.

**MOORE**—May 1, 1925, at Purdysburn Hospital, Belfast, Helen, dearly-beloved daughter of Robert and Elizabeth Moore, 2 Duggan place, Rathmines, aged 15½ years. Deeply regretted. Funeral private.

**O'FLYNN**—May 2, 1925, at his residence, William street, Galway, John J. O'Flynn, Wine and Spirit Merchant, R.I.P. Funeral to-day (Monday) from Pro-Cathedral at 12 o'clock, after Solemn Requiem Mass, to New Cemetery.

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**ANDERSON**—In loving memory of my dear father, William Anderson, who passed away May 4th, 1919.—Ma.

**ANDERSON**—In ever-loving memory of William Anderson, who passed away at Cadville, Nenagh, on the 4th May, 1919.

**BASSIERE**—In loving memory of dear Uncle Jack, who entered into rest May 3rd, 1923. "Until the day break."

**DEVITT**—Eighth Anniversary—In loving memory of our dear father, Michael Devitt, Lowergate, Cashel, who died May 4th, 1917. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on his soul. Inserted by his sons and daughters.

**GILBERT**—First Anniversary—In loving memory of my dear wife, Florence Annie, late of Marlay, Rathfarnham, who entered into rest 4th May, 1924. Sadly missed by her loving husband and family. "With Christ, which is far better."

**HENDERSON**—Seventh Anniversary—In loving memory of Robert (Bob) Henderson, who departed this life May 3rd, 1918, at his residence, 74 Haddington road.

We miss the smile of one we loved
We did our best to save,
Beloved in life, regretted still,
Remembered in the grave.
A loving husband, true and kind,
A beautiful memory left behind.
Inserted by his loving wife and son.

**ROW**—In loving memory of our dear Annie, called to rest May 3rd, 1924.

Not dead to those who loved her,
But only gone before;
She lives with us in memory still,
And will for evermore.
Inserted by father, mother, and Grace.

**ROW**—In loving memory of my dear sister, Annie, called Home May 3rd, 1924.

"Father, in Thy gracious keeping,
Leave we now our loved one sleeping."—Mae.

**RINGEN**—In loving memory of our dear mother, Mary Ringen, who died 3rd May, 1924, at her daughter's residence, 9 Innisfallen Parade, Drumcondra. "Heaven is her Home." Inserted by her loving son (David) and daughter (Maggie).

**SMITH**—Second Anniversary—In loving memory of my dear husband (Wilfrid), who died 3rd May, 1923, of 60 Russell avenue, Drumcondra, late Chief Clerk, G.C., G.N. Railways, North Wall.

If thou shouldst call me to resign
What most I prized, it ne'er was mine;
I only yield Thee what was Thine.
Thy will be done."

**TOMKINS**—In loving memory of Henry E. Tomkins, who died May 4th, 1923.

Our life is but an autumn sun;
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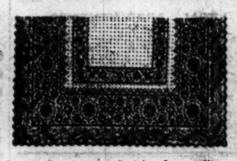

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WILLIAM WALSH, Secretary.
Court House, Omagh, 30th April, 1925. 1 A

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JUNIOR Assistant (Chemist), 5 years' experience, desires position, city or country; full particulars. Address "Z 4098, Assistant," this office. 30 B

NURSING Home for Sale, Going Concern; owner retiring. Address "Z 4174, Home," this office. 1 C

PHARMACEUTICAL Chemist, experienced, desires part time post, city; interview.—M 834, this office. 3 B

## MEDICAL CONTINUED

QUALIFIED Assistant required by Dublin Chemist; applicants to enclose copies testimonials and state age, experience, salary, when disengaged, etc. Address "Z 4200, Assistant," this office. 2 C

REGISTERED Dentist, Operator and Mechanic, seeks appointment as Assistant, or take charge; terms reasonable. Apply Box 1007, Irish Times Branch Office, Cork. 29 A

TRAINED Hospital Nurse, educated, travelled, wishes part-day work Nurse Secretary, Companion, etc.—M 726, this office. 1 O

WANTED, Lady Secretary Attendant to a Surgeon Dentist; West of Ireland; live with family; copies reference, and full particulars. Address "Z 4145 Secretary," this office. 30 B

WANTED, experienced Dental Assistant, Registered or Qualified Practioner. Apply, with recent references, Birkbahne, 67 Patrick street, Cork. 30 O

WANTED, Solicitor's Office, competent Clerk for all branches of Agency and Court work; must have experience; satisfactory references. Apply, stating salary, M 821, this office.

WANTED, smart Lady Clerk in Solicitor's Office for Filing and Duplicating; shorthand and typewriting essential.—M 820, this office.

WANTED immediately. Trained Nurse for invalid lady; young, Protestant.—18 Zion road, Rathgar.

YOUTH, intermediate education, seeks Apprenticeship in Pharmacy; send particulars. Address "Z 4065, Youth," this office. 29 A

## HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS. OFFICIALS, SERVANTS, ETC.

### POSITIONS VACANT.

LAUNDRY STAFF.

WANTED, for the Shelbourne Hotel new Power Laundry, Feeders, Folder, Preparer, Washing and Hydro Extractor Attendant, Steam Clothes Press, Shirt Ironer, etc. Also Forewoman.

Apply, in first instance by letter only to the Manager.

HOUSEKEEPER (Working) Wanted; good carver; superintend entire working; absolute abstainer; long references preferred; copies to be enclosed with all other particulars; also Cook, first class; copies references with application; strict abstainer and other particulars.—M 826, this office. 3 D

WANTED, Housekeeper for Caledonian Hotel; must be experienced. Apply St. Andrew's Hotel, before 3 o'clock and after 6 p.m. 30 B

WANTED, for a private hotel, a Working Housekeeper Manageress, with city experience.—M 609, this office. 30 B

### EMPLOYMENT WANTED

HOTEL Bar—Young Lady, presently engaged, desires change; six years' experience in two first-class hotels; agreeable to assist the management generally; good appearance and manner; change desired. Address "Z 4193, Lady," this office. 3 B

MANAGERESS, or Housekeeper, hotel or club, relieve dispense and office. Address "Z 4187, Manageress," this office. 2 X

WAITRESS, presently engaged, desires change; 6 years' experience in first class hotel; city preferred. Address "Z 4194, Waitress," this office. 3 B

WAITER wishes situation; carve, etc.—M 833, this office.

YOUNG Man give £5 to anyone finding position as Porter in hotel or bank, Dublin or London. Address "Z 4206, Porter," this office.

YOUNG Lady, experienced, desires position, Hotel Bookkeeper; Dublin county preferred; excellent references. Address "Z 4195, Bookkeeper," this office. 2 D

## LEGAL APPOINTMENTS

EXPERIENCED Shorthand Typist, disengaged; provincial town preferred. Address "Z 4155, Typist," this office. 1 A

SHORTHAND Typist, disengaged, desires position; legal experience.—M 629, this office. 29 A

WANTED, immediately, competent Man, capable of taking charge Solicitor's Office, County Tipperary; must have good knowledge of all branches of the business; send copies testimonials and particulars of salary required. Address "Z 4108, Man," this office. 30 B

WANTED, by a Firm of Dublin Solicitors, a Lady Clerk, with experience in account keeping and general work; state salary expected and references.—M 812, this office.

## TUITIONS AND SCHOLARSHIPS.

ALL Professional and University Prelims., Oral and Correspondence. Success lists free.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Sackville street, Dublin. T

ALL University and Professional Preliminaries—Solicitors', Surgeons', Veterinary, Pharmaceutical Preliminaries; University Entrances; Day, Evening, Correspondence Classes.—W. St. George Brookes, 9 Molesworth street, Dublin 21 T

ARMY Officer (demobilised) gives Lessons in Irish, pupil's own home, any evening; very moderate; highest references.—M 722, this office. 1 C

BELMONT College, 36 Dawson street, Dublin 'phone, 2685—Clerical Officers' Exam. (limited competition) announced for June 30th. Special Oral and Postal Classes now forming. Prospectus free. 29 A

CLERICAL Officers' Examination, 30th June—Special Classes now working.—Miss Regan's Civil Service and Commercial College, 4 and 5 Nassau street. 29 A

EMBROIDERY and all kinds of Fancy Needlework taught by young Lady of experience; terms moderate.—M 535, this office. 30 B

FRENCH Lady requires Pupils, mornings, afternoons; ladies' children; recommended; visiting.—M 699, this office. 1 C

IN Modern Language Teaching, the Berlitz Method is superior to any other.—4 Grafton street. 29 A

SHORTHAND, Typewriting, Bookkeeping, etc.—Metropolitan College (Gillespie's), 100 Lower Mount street. 'Phone 3055 T

SHORTHAND, Typewriting; rapid progress assured; personal tuition.—Murphy, 16 Appian Way. 12 T

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VERY respectable young Lady (Protestant) desires position as Nursery Governess; well educated; willing to assist in housework. Address "Z 4114, Governess," this office. 30 A

WELL educated Girl, R.C., musical, domesticated, wishes post as Visiting Governess in nice family, near Rathmines or Belgrave square.—M 672, this office. 1 C

### GOVERNESSES AND TUTORS WANTED

AGENT FOR GOVERNESSES AND SCHOOLS. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton st., Dublin. Advises Parents and Managers. Tel. No. 5256. T

WANTED at once, daily for morning hours, Governess for two boys, ages 8 and 11 years. Apply 19 Merrion square. 1 C

WANTED for Ballyclare Intermediate School for 1st September, Headmaster, qualified to teach Experimental Science and Mathematics (all grades). Apply, with qualifications and testimonials, to Rev. W. J. Guy Macbeth, The Manse, Ballyclare, Co. Antrim. 3 O

## EMPLOYMENT WANTED

A RESPECTABLE young Lady seeks post as Mother's Help; has experience of sewing.—R O 1988, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 3 B

AS Companion a few hours daily; domesticated and kind.—M 335, this office.

BOY, 16, well educated, knowledge shorthand and typewriting, seeks position in City Office; some experience and well recommended.—M 818, this office.

CABINET Maker—Highly qualified Wood Worker, sterling character, wants Home Work or otherwise; first class work assured, or will give instruction in same. M 710, this office. 1 D

CARPENTER, competent, trustworthy; good hand at cart and wheel work, general repairs; well recommended. Address John Miller, Loughfee, Carrickmacross.

DRAPERY—Young Man requires position; 10 years' wholesale and retail experience; highest references.—M 563, this office. 30 B

DRAPERY—Young Lady, I.C., 20, served three years in good provincial town, desires change; £20-£24 per annum, indoor; highly recommended. Address "Z 4025, Assistant," this office. 1 A

EXPERIENCED Shorthand Typist, presently engaged, desires change; highly recommended. Address "Z 4109, Typist," this office. 30 B

EXPERT Cabinetmaker, all round wood worker, open for nice work.—M 572, this office. 30 B

EXPERIENCED Man requires position in city as Manager or Assistant in Family Grocery and Wine and Spirit Business.—M 750, this office. 1 O

EXPERIENCED Shorthand Typist requires position; certificates, Shorthand (120), Typewriting, Bookkeeping; excellent references.—M 795, this office. 2 D

EXPERIENCED Housekeeper, well up in all household affairs, Catholic, seeks post. Address "Z 4180, Housekeeper," this office. 1 B

GENTLEWOMAN seeks post, Companion Chauffeuse; certificate; all running repairs; domesticated. Address "Z 4096, Companion," this office. 30 B

GENTLEMAN, five years' travelling experience, four years' secretarial, and general office work experience, seeks progressive responsible position; city; excellent references.—M 787, this office. 2 D

HOUSEKEEPER, or Companion Help, experienced; good references.—M 777, this office.

LADY College Housekeeper or Matron; thoroughly experienced in all duties; highest references.—M 420, this office. 29 A

LADY Shorthand Typist, age 17, just left college, desires position; moderate salary.—Brennan, Goatstown, Dundrum, Dublin. 30 B

LADY take up post as Help, I.C., temporary or otherwise; good needlewoman. Address "Z 4106, Help," this office. 30 B

LADY desires position as Caretaker; excellent references given.—M 610, this office. 30 B

NO Salary—Lady Help, Companion, Housekeeper; care invalid, dairy, fowls, look after men; highest references. Address "Z 4085, Help," this office. 29 A

RESPECTABLE young Woman (I.C.) wishes post as Help, one or two in family; well recommended.—485, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 1 A

RESPECTABLE young Lady requires post, Companion or Attendant to lady; highest references. Address "Z 4185, Lady," this office.

REFINED well educated young Lady (Protestant) desires position as Secretary or Lady's Companion; highest references. Address "Z 4179, Lady," this office. 1 B

SUPERIOR capable person (Protestant), go as Invalid Attendant or Mother's Help in nice place. Address "Z 4162, Attendant," this office. 1 A

THOROUGHLY experienced Lady Secretary requires position of trust; shorthand, typist, bookkeeping; nine years' experience; disengaged 1st June; references. Address "Z 4168, Lady," this office. 1 B

WELL educated Lady would go as Useful Maid or Travelling Companion. Address "Z 4204, Maid," this office.

WATCHMAKER, experienced, competent, engaged in Dublin; satisfactory references.—M 810, this office.

WIDOW Lady, without means, would take charge house during owner's absence, or Housekeeper one or two gentlemen, if allowed maid as helper. Address "Z 4191, Housekeeper," this office.

## MALE SERVANTS WANTED.

A GENERAL Man Wanted, married, without family; must understand farm work and be a good milker; highest references required; reply.—M 475, this office. 29 A

APPLY, 8 Butlers, £50 to £80; Footmen, £30.—Kennedy's, 68 Sackville street.

BOY Wanted; generally useful garden, stables, milk; send discharges; state wages expected (indoor), letter only.—Forbes, Castleknock. 30 B

GAME Watcher Wanted; must be good rabbit and vermin killer; strictly sober; single man. Address "Z 4182, Game," this office.

MARRIED Couple, no incumbrances, required country place; wife good cook essential; man butler valet; state ages, wages expected, send discharges.—Botherem, Sallymount, Castlepollard. 1 C

WANTED for Co. Louth, married Yardman Gardener, R.C., no family; good milker and vegetable grower; send copies. Address "Z 4201, Yardman," this office.

### STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED

WANTED, experienced Working Steward; must understand machinery, tillage, buying and selling of stock; state age, wages. Send copies testimonials to Butler, Maiden Hall, Kilkenny. 1 C

WANTED, for Midland Estate, experienced Protestant Gardener, good all round man, married, no children, or Son able to work not objected to; terms 40/- weekly, house and allowances.—M 785, this office. 2 D

## MALE SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

GROOM, experienced bloodstock, sires, cattle, sheep; has acted Steward; horseman. Address "Z 4088, Groom," this office. 29 A

MARRIED Man seeks situation as Plough and General Farm Labourer; good reference; wife good milker or other work if required.—William Murphy, Tinnakilly, Wicklow. 29 A

RESPECTABLE Man wants experience in General Farming in return for board or small fee; near Dublin for preference.—M 816, this office.

REFINED Youth seeks position as Pantry Boy or Valet; some experience; can be highly recommended; 19 years of age, R.C., TT., 5ft. 10in. in height. Address "Z 4196, Pantry Boy," this office.

WANTED, position as Land Steward; married, Protestant; understands all farm work, buying and selling of cattle, the management of men and working of all farm machinery; Son (19) good ploughman and milker.—Box 1657, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast.

YARDMAN Herd, single, R.C.; good milker, care cattle, sheep, pony, trap, plain gardening, general work; highly recommended. Address "Z 4211, Herd," this office. 3 D

### STEWARDS AND GARDENERS DISENGAGED

GARDENER seeks situation; understands all fruit and vegetables; good milker; married; can be highly recommended; suburbs preferred.—M 811, this office. 2 D

LAND Steward (Scotch), Protestant, requires re-engagement soon owing to changes through reduction of establishment; experienced all branches, accounts, correspondence, and being in charge; highly recommended by present and previous employers; married when suited. Address "Z 4073, Steward," this office. 29 B

POST Wanted as Working Steward or Herd by careful, reliable, experienced Man, married, with small family; has highest references, particularly from present employer, who is dispensing with services entirely owing to changes on farm.—M 749 this office. 1 C

STEWARD desires position in club or gentleman's house; Wife experienced Cook; no children; good gardener, understands motor; Protestant; good references. Address Box No. 1670, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 1 O

STEWARD, life experience all branches farming; Protestant, married; highest testimonials. Address "Z 4203, Steward," this office. 3 D

WORKING Steward or General Farm Hand seeks position.—M 578, this office. 30 B

## DOMESTICS WANTED.

OUTDOOR Maid required for Sandycove; one baby; send copies.—B 876, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

EXPERIENCED Maid Wanted, good references required; small family.—Brynteg, Kenilworth Park. Apply after 6 p.m. 2 D

WANTED, respectable Country Girl for farmer's place; fond of children; £14-£16; send copies references. Address "Z 4093, Girl," this office. 29 A

WANTED immediately, Mother's Help or Nurse; early riser; experience essential.—14 Northumberland road.

WANTED, young, respectable Girl, Daily; good references; 8/- weekly. Apply, after 6, 1 Corrig Castle terrace, Kingstown.

WOMAN Wanted, Evening Work, 5 to 8, Dolphin's Barn district. 6/- weekly.—M 822, this office.

WANTED, young Woman, daily, good worker.—60 Grosvenor road, Rathmines.

WANTED immediately, Mother's Help or Nurse Housemaid for young children. Apply 14 Northumberland road

VACANCIES FOR SERVANTS.

There are many vacancies in the REGISTRY of the "Irish Times" for all classes of Trained and Untrained Servants. Good wages offered. No fees charged. MATRON can recommend comfortable Homes where Servants can stay while waiting for situations. T

### COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS WANTED

COOK General Wanted; good references necessary. Apply 22 Mary street, Dublin. 3 D

GOOD Cook Wanted; 3 servants; wages £40.—General B., Red House, Sherborne.

GOOD Cook for country town; 3 servants; wage £46 to £45.—Mrs. B., Ladies' Army and Navy Club, London.

WANTED, Glanmire, Cork, good young Cook, singlehanded; also experienced Housemaid.—Wild's Agency, Marlfield, Clonmel. 29 A

WANTED for County Galway, good Plain Cook, do small washing, willing and obliging; another Girl kept; state wages. Address "Z 4125, Cook," this office. 30 A

WANTED for Co. Mayo, well recommended Cook General; good wages to suitable person.—481, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 30 B

WANTED, young Cook; well recommended; £35; small dairy; scrubbing done; family two.—493, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock. 30 B

WANTED, superior Cook General, suburbs. Address "Z 4177, Cook General," this office. 1 A

WANTED for doctor's house, young Cook General; must have experience and good references. Apply after 7 p.m., 19 Merrion square. 1 O

WANTED, a Cook General; no washing. Apply after 8 p.m., Belmont, Palmerston road.

WANTED, good singlehanded Cook; Protestant; good jam maker, fruit bottler, assist small dairy; three maids kept; good wages; must be well recommended, Co. Dublin. Address "Z 4210, Cook," this office. 3 B

WANTED, really good Cook for gentleman's house in Midlands; small family; copies, and state religion, age, wages. Address "Z 4192, Cook," this office. 2 D

### GENERALS WANTED

A SMART young General Wanted for Merrion; plain cooking, small washing. Apply Maison Geldof, 1 Leinster street, City. 29 A

GENERAL—Wanted, young, smart Girl; good plain cook; well recommended. Call to-day or to-morrow (Tuesday) 77 Ailesbury road, Donnybrook.

EXPERIENCED General Wanted; well recommended; two in family.—Forsyth, Marshfield, Leixlip. 30 B

PROTESTANT General Wanted; plain cooking; well recommended; for Clontarf.—M 801, this office. 29 A

REQUIRED, General, 30-40, thoroughly understanding plain cooking, dairy, fowl; family one; if R.C. bicycle required.—Kilsea Glebe, Maganey, Kildare.

SMART General Wanted. Apply 4 S. C. road, Portobello.

SUPERIOR Girl Wanted, General; Protestant preferred; refined with children; good wages.—M 837, this office.

WANTED, capable General, young family, four; early riser; good references.—2 Arbourdale road, Glenageary. 29 A

WANTED, experienced General; family three; good wages given; send copies references.—M 580, this office. 30 B

WANTED, General; good home and wages to suitable person. Address "Z 4176, General," this office. 1 A

WANTED, thoroughly experienced General, House-keeper, with good references; good wages; Clontarf.—M 667, this office.

WANTED, young Protestant General; fond children; good cook; comfortable home; wages £25—167, Irish Times Branch Office, Ranelagh. 1 A

## DOMESTICS CONTINUED.

WANTED, a clean, willing Girl for General; one who worked away before preferred; good wages, comfortable home; no cooking.—Mrs. Fox, 191 High road, Ilford, Essex. 2 D

WANTED, experienced General, plain cooking, for Tonbridge, Kent; good wages; nurse kept.—M 746, this office. 2 D

WANTED, smart General, wages £16-£18; small family; well recommended.—M 786, this office. 2 B

WANTED, well trained young General, country girl preferred; must be well recommended; long papers; good wages.—M 783, this office. 2 B

WANTED, capable young General, Leitrim County; good wages. Address "Z 4209, General," this office. 3 D

WANTED, 11th May, capable young General; good cooking essential; two in family. Apply after 6 o'clock, 1 Lansdowne Gardens, Shelbourne road. 3 B

WANTED, experienced General, young; wages £24-£26; small washing.—4 Pembroke road.

YOUNG General Wanted, suburbs; £20; one lady; must have long reference.—M 427, this office. 29 A

### HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED

CAN lady recommend really experienced Upper Housemaid; two kept; Protestant; good needlewoman; accustomed country. Address "Z 4058, Housemaid," this office. 29 A

PARLOUR and House Sewingmaid required June 1st; country place, Tipperary; own washing only; ask sisters or friends; wages £34 each. Address "Z 4157, Parlourmaid," this office. 1 O

REQUIRED, 7th May, very experienced Housemaid, age 35, country, for West Wicklow; send references, age, religion. Address "Z 4166, Housemaid," this office. 1 B

WANTED, South Ireland, first rate Upper Housemaid, tall, smart appearance.—Wild's Agency, Marlfield, Clonmel. 29 A

WANTED, young girl, country preferred, Housemaid, for date; must have some experience; wages £18 to £20.—479, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 30 B

WANTED, House Parlourmaid or good General for two months at the seaside. Apply, between 6 and 8 o'clock, 40 Northumberland road.

WANTED, House Parlourmaid for country; good references; reply stating wages; 3 in family.—Mrs. Anderson, Ballymountain, Waterford. 2 D

WANTED, good House Parlourmaid, Kingstown; £30.—Keenan's, Upper George's street, Kingstown.

WANTED, Housemaid and Parlourmaid. Meet lady, Mulpeter's Registry, 11 South Anne street.

### NURSES WANTED

AGENT for NURSES, MAIDS and ATTENDANTS. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton street, Dublin. Interviews daily. Tel No. 5256. T

NURSE, experienced; long discharges.—Mrs. Blayney, 15 Merrion square, between 2 and 3 o'clock. B

SUPERIOR Nurse Housemaid Wanted, Herbert place; must be well recommended; good wages given suitable person. Apply, enclosing copies references, 484, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 1 A

THOROUGHLY experienced Nursery Maid, to take charge baby, 1 month, and child, 4 yrs.; light housework.—M 679, this office. 1 C

WANTED for Co. Mayo, well recommended Children's Nurse; good wages to suitable person.—482, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 30 B

WANTED, Children's Nurse; trustworthy, agreeable girl, understand care of baby, to take entire charge of two children, ages 4 years and 2½ years, until June; then take baby, 7½ months, and help with others; good wages, good home. Apply Mrs. A. Moore, The Park, Athlone.

### KITCHEN, LAUNDRY, ETC., WANTED

CAN lady recommend good Laundress, single handed, gentleman's house, country, or ex-soldier's widow, where cottage provided. Address "Z 4067, Laundress," this office. 29 A

WANTED, London, Second Kitchenmaid, experienced; cross with family from Ireland.—Wild's Agency, Marlfield, Clonmel. 29 A

WANTED, Kitchenmaid, some experience; state age, wages. Send copies to Mrs. Richard Goodbody, Clara House, Clara, King's County. 1 O

## DOMESTICS DISENGAGED.

A WORKING Housekeeper wants situation; interview, Dublin, Tuesday next, or letters; references.—M 533, this office. 30 B

AT Kennedy's, 68 Sackville street—Cooks, Generals, K'maids, H'maids, P'maids, Nurses, etc.

GENERAL Maid seeks situation; general knowledge; six years' reference, English lady. Address "Z 4183, Maid," this office. 2 D

HOUSEKEEPER, or General; North Ireland preferred; good references.—M 778, this office. 2 D

LADY, leaving Dublin for summer months, can thoroughly recommend Charwoman, good Laundress.—M 793, this office. 2 B

RESPECTABLE Woman wants Daily Work; general worker, washer.—M 825, this office. 2 D

SEWING Maid, Protestant, private house or institution; or useful Help.—M 441, this office. 29 B

WORKING Housekeeper or Cook General, farmer's daughter, R.C., 41, some experience, reliable, highly recommended. Address "Z 4205, Housekeeper," this office.

WORKING Housekeeper to Priest or Gentleman, disengaged; superior person; excellent testimonials; good cook, particularly clean, and altogether satisfactory; over 12 years with last employer. Address "Z 4197, Housekeeper," this office. 2 D

WANTED, by respectable widow, Office Cleaning or Morning Work; highest references.—M 741, this office.

### COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS DISENGAGED

DAIRYMAID, experienced, technically trained, requires situation; Protestant. Address "Z 4199, Dairymaid," this office. 2 D

GOOD Cook, Protestant, disengaged, go temporary; well recommended.—D. F., Irish Times Branch Office Kingstown.

GOOD Cook, well recommended; private hotel not objected to.—M 794, this office.

SUPERIOR Cook General wishes situation; good cook; highly recommended.—S. F., Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 3 B

VERY good Cook General wants situation in small Protestant family middle of May; would take entire charge; wages from £36.—Doyle, Drummany, Greystones. 29 A

VERY good Cook, with daughter, 16, want place immediately; highly recommended; Dublin or near.—M 766, this office. 2 D

### GENERALS DISENGAGED

EXCELLENT General or Cook; highly recommended. Seen to-day, 11-1, 24 Main street, Blackrock.

MOST respectable, experienced General (R.C.) wants place, middle May, small family; highly recommended.—G 391, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 30 A

RELIABLE trustworthy Outdoor General, 10/- weekly; long papers; highly recommended.—M 790, this office.

## DOMESTICS CONTINUED

RELIABLE Person, General, one or two ladies; home object; 5/- weekly; highest reference.—F. Malone, Agency, Monkstown.

SUPERIOR General, elderly; good cook; highly recommended; likes children; distance no object.—M 836, this office.

YOUNG General seeks situation, small family; good worker; well recommended.—R O 1984, Irish Branch Office, Rathmines.

YOUNG General wants Daily Work; good plain cook.—K. C., Newtown Cottage, Tallaght.

YOUNG General, recommended, desires re-engagement, city.—M 838, this office.

### HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS DISENGAGED.

GIRL, 23, Protestant, wishes situation as House Parlourmaid or Nurse Housemaid; lived two years as General in England; Northern county preferred. Address "Z 4095, House Parlourmaid," this office. 30 B

HOUSE Parlourmaid seeks situation, city or suburbs; thoroughly experienced; highly recommended. Address "Z 4091 Maid," this office. 29 A

TWO young Girls wish Training as Houseparlourmaids, Dublin preferred; well recommended. Address "Z 4184, Maids," this office.

YOUNG Girl, train Housemaid, or Houseparlourmaid; North city.—M 781, this office.

YOUNG country Girl to train Houseparlourmaid.—M 779, this office.

### NURSES DISENGAGED

LADY wishes to recommend experienced Children's Nurse; take baby from month; fifteen years' reference.—M 660, this office. 1 A

NURSE, disengaged; travelled; Spanish, French, shorthand, typewriting (R.C.). Address "Z 4156, Nurse," this office. 1 B

TRAINED Lady Nurse desires daily post; thoroughly experienced; good testimonials; Protestant.—P. N. Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown 1 C

THOROUGHLY experienced Infant Nurse disengaged; delicate baby; country, England; highest references. M 841, this office. 3 B

### KITCHEN, LAUNDRY, ETC., DISENGAGED.

YOUNG Woman, Laundress and Cooking; long discharges; daily.—M 776, this office.

## SPECIFIC ARTICLES.

ARMY Bell Tents on best terms.—Coleman, 25 Chancery street. 26 16

A MILNER'S Safe for Sale, and Roll Top Desk for Sale; reasonable.—72 Rathgar road. 30 B

BINDER Twine, about one ton, for Sale, price 66/- per cwt. Address "Z 4170, Twine," this office. 1 X

BEST Hand-made Building Brick for Sale. Apply T. Doulon, Ferbane, Offaly. 1 C

BARGAINS in Pictures, religious and secular, Oval Mirrors, Beds, Bedding, Sideboards, Tables, Fenders, China Cabinets, Overmantels.—87 Marlborough street. 2 D

BACON Slicing Machines, 1925 Models; cash or instalments. Particulars free.—Booth Brothers, Stephen street, Dublin.

CASTILE Soap, 10d. per lb.—P. O'Connor, Ltd., 25 D'Olier street, Dublin. 29 A

CURD Soap, 10d. per lb.—P. O'Connor, Ltd., 25 D'Olier street. 29 A

CHEAPEST DELPH and General Crockery for Bazaars, Shops, Hawkers, Marketmen. Assorted Crates from 15/-. Cheap Pint Pots, Cups, Saucers, Plates, etc. Satisfaction guaranteed or money back. Bargain lists and 50 page "How to Sell" Guide Free. Write now to actual Manufacturers: ST. PAUL'S ART POTTERY, BURSLEM, STAFFS. X

FOR Sale (best offer), Quantity Three Plywood Boxes, 26 by 12 by 12 inches.—M 692, this office. 1 O

FOR Sale, Bound Volumes "Girls' Own" Paper, "Sunday at Home," "Queens"; good order; suitable for libraries.—M 784, this office. 2 D

LINSEED Oil, 5/- per gallon.—P. O'Connor, Ltd., 25 D'Olier street, Dublin. 29 A

LEFT for Sale, Willcox and Gibbs Sewing Machine, in perfect order; selling cheap.—23 Dawson street. 29 A

METHYLATED Spirits, 6/6 per gallon.—P. O'Connor, Ltd., 25 D'Olier street, Dublin. 29 A

MAHOGANY Shop Counter, 6 x 2 feet, for immediate Sale. Seen to-day, to-morrow, First Floor, 45 South William street. 3 B

PAINTS, Enamels, Varnishes, Stains, Distemper, Cattle Markers, manufactured by Harringtons and Goodlass Wall, Ltd., Cork, excel all others. Over 1½ millions tins sold 1924. T

PAPER Blinds, best quality; Spring Rollers and Fittings. Send for list.—Staveley's Stores, 137 Parnell street, Dublin. 13 22

PETROLEUM—Finest Quality for Incubators and Primus cooking stoves, 1/6 per gallon.—P. O'Connor, Ltd., 25 D'Olier street 29 A

PENNSYLVANIA Lawn Mowers for Sale, cheap; perfect order.—Shaw, 13 Stephen street. 1 O

RICK Covers, Sacks, Waterproof Covers, Tents, etc., Sale or Hire, on best terms.—M. Coleman, 25 Chancery street. 26 16

SANCTUARY Oil, of unequalled quality, 8/- per gallon.—P. O'Connor, Ltd. 25 D'Olier street. 29 A

SOAP—Scrubbing Brown, 6/- per stone.—P. O'Connor, Ltd., 25 D'Olier street. 29 A

SOAP—Best XX, Crown Soap, 6/9 per stone.—P. O'Connor, Ltd., 25 D'Olier street. 29 A

SOAP—Ordinary Best Crown, 6/3 per stone.—P. O'Connor, Ltd., 25 D'Olier street. 29 A

SALE, Singer Cabinet Sewing Machine, also Hand, almost new; Gramophone.—1 Moyne road, Ranelagh. 29 A

TURPENTINE, best quality, 7/- per gallon.—P. O'Connor, Ltd., 25 D'Olier street. 29 A

TYPEWRITER, Oliver, No. 5 Brief, visible writer, perfect order.—M 626, this office. 30 B

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TYPEWRITERS—Oliver, secondhand, under guarantee condition, from £6 up.—Booth Brothers, Dublin. T

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*WOMAN AND HER HOME*

# FASHIONS IN BROOCHES.

DAME Fashion is a very important person in this world of ours, for not only does she give us variety in the mode of clothes we wear, but in our jewellery and even in the furniture we use.

Fashions in brooches have been many and varied. The elaborate gold ornaments which were worn fifty years ago are seldom seen nowadays; the fashion of a plain silver or gold bar, with a precious stone at one end or in the centre, has taken their place. Four or five years ago butterfly brooches were in vogue—butterflies of every size, shape and make and in a bewildering variety of colours.

Brooches were much used in ancient times, and varied in form as much as in modern times. They were worn both by men and women, and with a view both to ornament and use, for the men long ago wore loose-flowing robes and used brooches as a means of fastening their dress. In the early part of the Middle Ages, and even amongst semi-barbarous tribes, the art of making brooches seems not only to have flourished, but to have attained marvellous perfection. Many of those found, both in Ireland and in Scotland, are wonderfully beautiful in workmanship, and still more so in design; and it is doubtful whether antiquity has left us anything in the way of personal ornament more perfect than the so-called Hunterston Brooch. It was found in 1830 on the estate of Hunterston, in the Parish of West Kilbride, Ayrshire, near to the scene of a conflict which preceded the battle of Largs in 1262. It is of silver, richly wrought with gold filigree, and elaborately chased with lacertine and ribbon patterns. It is set with ornaments of amber, and on the reverse are runes which have been variously read, but the most common belief reads in good Scottish Celtic the words which mean, "Malbritha, his friend, in recompense to Maolfridi."

One of the most famous articles of its kind existing in Scotland is the Brooch of Lorn, in the possession of Macdougal of Dunolly, near Oban. It is believed to be identical with one torn from the breast of Robert Bruce by Alexander of Lorn, the ancestor of Macdougal, in a personal contest with the King. This brooch is of silver, about four inches in diameter, with a circle of jewelled obelisks.

F. E. D.

## NEW HATS FOR OLD.

AT this time of year something stirs itself, even in the most sensible and strong-minded of us desiring variety. Emerging from the winter there is a great temptation to buy new clothes, whether one can afford it or not. It would be so much easier if Spring did not visit the shops as well as the fields. But it is she that ties the gaily-coloured ribbons round the hats and decks the brim with flowers and crowds the windows with newly-shaped hats and newly-designed frocks. In vain to think there is nothing new under the sun. One can only, if one is poor, get over the envious temptation to wish everyone else was poor also and unable to feast on the newness of this Spring's sun.

It is better to give in to the temptation—at least, partly. A writer says that the best way of getting rid of a temptation is to give in to it. And in the case of Spring hats other people in the end, even husbands, will advise that course for peace. That applies to one hat, one's best hat. But it cannot reign alone and be the best. And that is where the title "New Hats for Old" is shown to advantage.

If you have a last year's hat you can do something with it still unless it is battered out of recognition. First you should take off last year's trimming. Then if it is a hard straw, or a straw you do not mind having hard, you can dye it by painting it with a varnish to be had in any colour, dull or shiny. If it is a pliant straw the best plan is to clean it with methylated spirit and oil. Rub the methylated spirit on first to clean it, letting it get well into the crevices, and then put on the oil (linseed) very carefully, and let it remain till it dries off. The hat will look like new. One cannot treat "blocked" hats quite so successfully. Their shape being so definitely fixed, it is difficult to renovate them if they lose it. Other hats, too, can be taken to the shop and have their shape altered, but these cannot.

It is not my business, I know, but I should like to say: "If you are buying a new hat do not buy a brown one," unless it is something very special and a very special brown. Everyone has them, and has had them, and one has grown very weary of them.

MARGOT.

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COCKERELS, February hatched, for delivery May, Leghorns and Wyandottes; all sired by cocks direct from Tom Barron, Frank Snowden, dams Barron and Snowden, 10/-, carriage paid; approval; particulars, post free.—John Hogg, [illegible] Poultry Farm, [illegible]

CHICKS, due 4th and 14th; Rhode Island Red Cockerels, White Wyandotte (Porter-Barron), White Leghorn (Cavanagh-Barron); chicks 15/- dozen, settings 5/-, Aylesbury settings 5/-, Rhode mothers 7/6, free.—Young, Tullow. 1 C

CLARE and Sons, Foxrock, Dublin—Coops, 8/6 to 22/6; Runs, 4/- to 25/-; Chicken Houses, 5' x 3' 33/6, 6' x 4' from 39/6, 8' x 6' 8.1 Houses £4 10/-; Span Portable 7' x 5', complete, £8 11/-; Int. Houses, £8 to £90; illustrated booklet post free. Spring Show, Ballsbridge; Stands 202 and 167. 8 4

### POULTRY, ETC. CONTINUED.

CHICKS, 20/- dozen, White Leghorns (Cam's pen headed, by Lord Kimmage, due 30th April; also R.I.R. mother, if required.—At Manor House, Castle avenue, Clontarf. 28 A

DAIRY Utensils, separators, Churns, Butter Workers, latest and up to date.—The Dairy Engineering Co. of Ireland, Ltd., 21-22 Bachelor's Walk, Dublin. T

DAY old Chicks for Sale, 15/- dozen; Mothers 3/-.—Atkinson, Dornden, Booterstown. 30 B

DAY Old Chicks, White Leghorns, despatching May 5th, from 17/- dozen, carriage paid; Brooders 7/6.—Millview Poultry Farm, Malahide. 30 C

DUCKLINGS, White Runner, Taylor's, 15 for 18/6; mothers 5/-; settings 3/6.—Tim, Roscrea.

CHICK Rearing is made easy and certainly profitable by using Armitage's No. 1 Original Dry Chick Food for the first month, following on with Armitage's No. 2 "Grow on" Mixture. The Armitage Way means less work, no bother, no worry, and no dead chicks. Insist on the Foods backed by 30 years' experience.—Armitage Bros., Ltd., Poultry Food Specialists, Nottingham. Sold by O'Leary and Co., 30 Lower Camden street, Dublin. X

EGGS all reduced now to 7/6 dozen, from my famous layers: Chicks 15/- dozen. White Wyandottes, White Leghorns.—Strong, Moate, Kells. 1 C

FOR Sale, 12 Pure Bred Leghorn Laying Hens, single, or 12, 5/- 6/- each. Apply Balcarras, Serpentine avenue, Ballsbridge. 6 1

HALF a Million Poultry Keepers have proved with profit their greatest friends are Karswood Poultry Spice, packets 7½d., Karswood Meal, 3½ lbs. 1/-.—Blanchardstown Flour Mills, 119 Thomas street, Dublin. 12 1

HATCHING Eggs, White Leghorns—Special offer, 5/- per sitting, including box and carriage; reduction in lots of 100, 500, and 1,000 eggs.—Major Little, Berkeley Egg Farm, New Ross. 1 C

HATCHING Eggs—R.I.R., White Wyandottes, Light Sussex, Black Minorca, White Leghorns, Anconas, 6/- per dozen; Black Runner Ducks, 10/- per dozen; Day Old Chicks, 12/- per dozen, carriage paid.—Murray, Racecourse, Clones. X

KHAKI Campbell Eggs for Sale, Oscar Brown and Capt. Long's winning strain, 7/6 per sitting; also Drake for Sale. Apply Miss Baird, Craigford, Artane. 1 C

MR. Walker, De Vesci terrace, Kingstown, says Karswood Chick Rearing Meal excellent; 3½ lbs. 1/-. Karswood Chicken Powder (containing ground insects), Packets 7½d. From Blanchardstown Flour Mills, 119 Thomas street, Dublin. 12 1

SALMON—Wanted, large quantities during the season. W. Kinnsmith and Sons, Salmon Factory, Cork. 24 15

ST. Mark's Poultry Farm, Clondalkin—Settings 4/- dozen; Cockerels 4/3, Broodies 6/-. 8 27

SETTINGS, Fawn and White Runners, splendid laying strain, 5/-.—Bowers, Graigavine, Piltown, Co. Kilkenny.

WHITE Leghorns and Wyandottes, second year, for Sale; highly bred; exceptional opportunity securing at low prices for next year's breeding pens some egg record birds. Apply Inchicore Poultry Farm, Inchicore House, Inchicore. 1 A

WILLIAMSON, Corn Exchange, Dublin—Exchange Mixed Grain, 1/10 stone, 13/- cwt. 1 C

WILLIAMSON—Bran, 9/-, 11/6; Pollard, 9/6, 11/6; Maize Meal, 13/-; Fish Meal, 21/6. 1 C

WILLIAMSON—Chicken Mash (Newman), 2/- stone, 15/- cwt.; Chicken Grains, 3/3, 24/-. 1 C

WILLIAMSON—Second Chicken Grains, 3/-, 22/6; [illegible] and extra good value. 1 C

W[illegible] Exchange Laying Meal, quality [illegible] 16/- cwt., 2/3 stone; I.P.K. Laying Meal, 14/6, 2/-. 1 C

100 CHICKS, hatching weekly, 12/6 dozen; Plymouth Rocks, Rhodes, Reds. Settings 5/-; all carriage paid.—Mrs. Cusack, Ardee. 29 A

10,000 CHICKENS, Fowl, and young Turkeys Cured of Gapes and Pip by the famous "Pipuline" Dusting Powder, 1/3, post 6d. extra.—H. Bell, Ltd., Waterford. For discoloured heads, Croopings, etc., use Bell's Liver Tonic Powder; a great cure 5/-; smaller size 2/6 and 1/6, postage 6d. extra. Agent, Wells, Chemist, Sackville street, Dublin. 4

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AT Highest Value—James Hill and Son, Bachelor's Walk, Purchase Furniture, Pianos, Antiques. T

CHESTERFIELD and Lounge Chairs, hair stuffed; good cover; cheap.—M 783, this office. 2 D

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LALOR, Briscoe will Buy or Sell your surplus Furniture. Auction every Thursday.—35 Ormond quay. T

### MUSIC, PIANOS, ETC.

GRAND Piano, in walnut case, by John Broadwood and Sons, splendid condition, only needs tuning, for Sale, £35; can be seen by appointment. Address "Z 4018, Piano," this office. 27 F

HANDSOME Boudoir Grand Piano (Dollard), £65, or nearest offer.—M 641, this office. 1 C

MAGNIFICENT Overstrung Upright Grand, by Shipman, for Sale; £65, a bargain.—M 630, this office. 1 C

MAGNIFICENT Upright Iron Grand Overstrung German Piano, ebonised case, £65; sacrifice.—M 790, this office. 1 C

SALE, £9, or exchange, Five Stop Organ, nearly new, perfect in every detail.—Connolly, 26 Middle Gardiner street. 30 B

WANTED, Cottage Piano; small Grand might suit; state full particulars.—M 841, this office. 30 D

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### DRESS AND COSTUME.

ABOUT Clothes—Mrs. Higgins, 1 Aston's quay; highest prices Ladies' Gents' Children's Left Off Clothing, Jewellery, Artificial Teeth; country parcels received. T

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FOR Sale, Musquash (Hanks) Coat, perfect; £4.—M 740, this office. 1 A

FOR Sale, Gent's Grey, also Navy Suit; Boots (black), 8½; Tennis Racket (Prosser's), all good condition.—M 713, this office. 1 C

FOR Sale, Gent's entire Wardrobe; seen by appointment.—M 675, this office. 1 A

FOR Sale, Brown Shoes, half Suede and leather, low heels, size 3; also Black Coat and Skirt, Hats.—M 796, this office. 1 C

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SMART Black Costume for Sale; slight figure; perfect; £2. Address "Z 4189, Dress," this office. 1 C

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A PONY, 6 years, fast, 13 hands; Square Inside Trap and Harness; together or separate.—102 Donore terrace, Dolphin's Barn. T

AT Stud—Sir William, 14 hands, cups and medals winner, fee 4 guineas. Apply McMullen, 146 Upper Dorset street. 1 A

BAY Mare by Legaslike, 6 years, 15 hands, sound, no vice; would burst or race.—Wynne, Avoca. 30 C

HORSES—Three strong working, one light; also Harness.—Stables, 51 Townsend street. 1 C

SMITH'S Harness never wears out.—85 Marlborough street (one minute from Nelson's Pillar). T

13 H. Pony, Round Trap and Harness, used to city traffic.—9 Harcourt road. 3 D

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FOR Sale, one 2 year old and 2 yearling Heifers.—Woodlawn, Mounttown, Dun Laoghaire. 1 A

FRIESIAN Half-bred Yearling Heifer for Sale; great milking strain, by Castlehaven Warrior. Address "Z 4198, Heifer," this office. 2 D

HEIFER and Bull Calves for Sale; heifer 4½ months, other week. Apply Wilton, Merrion road. 30 B

PIGS—40 extra fine Stores and five Fat ones.—Blackrock House, Blackrock. 29 A

PEDIGREE Anglo-Nubian Female Kid, 10/-; beautifully marked; splendid milking strain.—St. Andrew's, Malahide.

WANTED, Aberdeen Angus Bull Calf, about 10 months old; state price.—Plunkett, Portmarnock. 1 A

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CLONMEL Championship Dog Show, 21st May. Entries close 9th inst.—Hon. Secs., F. Rocker and W. O'Keefe.

ENGLISH Springer Spaniels, eight field trial winners and champions in pedigree; Puppies for Sale; some ready for training; reasonable.—Foerster, Rylands, Newtown Stewart, Tyrone. 24 X

FOR Sale, Irish Water Spaniel, 3 years; good [illegible]; splendid for rough shooting; 2 guineas; also Greyhound Bitch, 10 months, 30/-.—Cullen, Ashfield, Portarlington. 27 A

GREAT Dane; magnificent young male; champion pedigree; sure winner.—Tyrrell, Drumconnick, Cavan.

GUNDOGS—Clumber Spaniel, trained land, water; also Cockers and Retrievers; particulars.—Tyrrell, Drumconnick, Cavan.

SPLENDID Irish Setter Puppy, 7 months, for Sale.—R. K. Marshall, Birr. 29 A

SPLENDID Cocker Pups for Sale, three months old; Dogs 30/- each.—King, Garryduff, Errill, Leix.

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GRAZING for Horses, 6/- per week; young cattle, 2/- per week.—M 638, this office. 1 C

6 ACRES good Grazing, well fenced and watered.—Phipps, Jubilee Hall, Bray. 29 A

### BUSINESS, BUSINESS PREMISES, LANDS, ETC.

SALE AND WANTED

A SECOND Floor Office to Let; electric light.—12 St. Andrew street. T

A GOOD Store and Yard for Sale; reasonable. Apply 1 Williams' Park, Rathmines. 30 B

AT Clontarf—Fine well fitted Shop, in perfect order, with dwellinghouse overhead; electric light; to be Let or Sold. Apply Dockrell Limited, Agents, Dublin. 30 A

AT Lower Abbey street—Splendid Shop and Basement, new premises; also three splendid Offices to be Let.—North and Co., Grafton street. 1 X

AT Grafton street—Shop and Basement, excellent position, to be Let.—North and Co., Grafton street. 1 X

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AT Henry street—To be Let, fine Premises, consisting of shop and basement. Terms, North and Co., Grafton street. 1 X

AT 28 Moore street—Victualler's Business as Going Concern; large shop and House; possession. MacArthur's Auction, Friday, 15th May. 3 D

BUILDING Ground—About 20 Acres, Butterfield lane; 15 Acres, Westfield road, Harold's Cross. Particulars 23 Ely place. 29 A

BUSINESS Sale—Best Business Premises in city, two Houses, large frontage shop; lease for ever, fee-simple; going concern, nearly turnover £4,000; Selling cheap.—Mulvey, Auctioneer, 47 Dawson street. 1 C

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DRAPERY Business for Sale in good market town, County Down; owner retiring. Apply to Box No. 1667, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 30 B

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FOR Sale, the New Oxford Club, 34 Lower Abbey street, second floor, containing Billiard Tables, Mahogany Marking Boards, Cue Rests, Sofa, Seats, Electric Radiators, Mahogany Counters, Revolving Mahogany Cue Holder, and over one hundred other requisites. 27 A

FOR Sale, with possession, spacious Premises, formerly occupied by Kenilworth Laundry; held for ever, fully indemnified from all rent. Seen daily, 11-1. Apply Caretaker, St. Pancras. 29 A

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GARAGE to Let, separate lock-up, concrete floor, electric light, water, washing place.—Goodbody, 2 Windsor road, Rathmines. 29 A

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SUBURBAN Picture House for Sale; newly decorated and seated.—M 469, this office. 29 A

SOUTH Hampshire (near Southampton Water)—Modern Nursery, 4 acres, beautiful situation; two lofty houses 200' x 50', one propagation house (100' x 30'), both heated; all specially built for Carnation culture, but now under Tomatoes; own water supply, engine pump, sheds, etc.; freehold; £3,500. Apply to Hall, Pain and Goldsmith, Fareham. 30 B

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ALPHONSUS road—Sell bargain, nice modern House, let £55; excellent monthly tenant.—R 1934, this office. 24 A

AT Rosehill, Blackrock—This Detached Residence, on 5 acres, for Sale by Auction, in our Salerooms, South Great George's street, on Thursday next, the 7th May, at 1.15 p.m. Immediate possession. Lease 900 years. Ground rent only £36 18/8. Apply Dockrell Limited, Agents, Dublin. 30 A

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AT reduced price to prompt purchaser, 31 Herbert avenue, Merrion. Seen Saturdays and Wednesdays, 6 to 7 evenings. 30 A

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AT Leinster road—Non-basement House for Sale, 8 apartments, electric light, £1,200.—North and Co., Grafton street. 1 X

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ASHFIELD road, Ranelagh—Well built House for Sale, lease 800 years (possession); two reception, four bedrooms, bath, h. and c., two w.c.'s, kitchen, electric light, gas; large garden; rear entrance; room for garage; price £1,025. Apply 2, Ormond road. 1 C

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CITY Service Bureau, 85 Grafton street, for Houses, Flats, Apartments. X

FURNISHED House, newly decorated, three bedrooms, study, dining and drawingrooms, maid's room, hot and cold water, bathroom; garden.—M 559, this office. 30 B

FURNISHED House, Botanic road, three months; careful tenant; references; twelve pounds month.—M 799, this office.

HOUSE to Let, Furnished, Palmerston road, £12 monthly.—M 349, this office.

TO Let, Furnished House, July, August, Brighton road, non basement, garage.—M 819, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 2 B

TO Let, Furnished House, month July; electric light, cooker, bath; Clonskeagh and Palmerston tram. Address "Z 4188, House," this office. 1 C

TO be Let, comfortably Furnished House, Upper Leeson street; 8 apartments, electric light, etc.; Protestants; no children.—M 791, this office. 2 D

WELL Furnished House to Let, Highfield road, for June and July; 3 reception, 4 bedrooms, all conveniences; garage, splendid garden, fruit, vegetables; very moderate to careful tenant; no children.—M 751, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 1 C

### HOUSES WANTED

AN Eight Roomed House Wanted in Ballsbridge, Donnybrook, or Rathgar, to purchase at once.—M 713, this office. 1 A

A FURNISHED House required immediately, £12 monthly; central.—M 754, this office. 1 C

CIVIL Servant requires Unfurnished House, with at least three bedrooms, good sittingroom, bathroom, etc.; must be in Dublin.—1003, Irish Times Branch Office, Cork. 30 B

HOUSE Wanted Purchase, facing sea, Clontarf or Dollymount; or site to build on.—M 590, this office. 30 B

HOUSE Wanted, £400 to £800. Particulars M 314, this office. 30 B

SMALL House or Flat Wanted (Unfurnished); suburbs preferred.—M 619, this office. 30 B

WANTED, large Unfurnished House to rent two to three years, £100, taxes, security, vicinity Dublin.—M 703, this office. 1 C

### APARTMENTS TO LET

DUBLIN AND DISTRICT

APARTMENTS Agency.—Lists on application; Flats, Board Residence, Furnished Apartments.—Miss White, 25 Nassau street. 7 T

ABSOLUTELY self contained Top Flat, own hall door, four rooms, kitchen, bathroom, etc.; gas, electricity; caretaker; £100, free.—18 Upper Fitzwilliam street. 29 A

ATTRACTIVE Furnished Flat; sittingroom, two bedrooms, kitchen, separate hall, electric light, gas and hot water system.—30 Belgrave road, Rathmines. 29 A

APARTMENTS to Let—Two Unfurnished Rooms, use kitchen, gas stove; rent moderate; select, R.C. house, Drumcondra; no children.—M 429, this office. 29 A

APARTMENTS—Comfortably furnished Sitting, one or two bedrooms; strict cleanliness; good cooking; private house, South side, beside tram.—M 482, this office. 29 A

APARTMENTS—Large Furnished Bedroom and Sittingroom. Phoenix Park gate.—M 503, this office. 29 A

ALL persons requiring Flats or Apartments apply Apartments Agency, 45 Henry street. T

AT 69 Lower Leeson street—Beautifully Furnished Bedroom, suit three gentlemen; full board, 35/- each. 30 B

AT Ballsbridge — Furnished Flat in Sandymount avenue to be Let; sittingroom, 2 bedrooms, kitchen, hot bath, electric light. Rent £9 monthly. Apply Dockrell Limited, Agents, Dublin. 30 A

A WELL Furnished Flat (piano), sunny rooms, kitchenette, cooker.—66 Adelaide road. 30 A

APARTMENTS—Visitors to Dublin can have good accommodation at 3 Berkeley street. 1 C

AT 55 Upper Leeson street—Well Furnished Apartments; full or partial Board. 1 C

AT 40 Harrington street—Furnished Double Bedded Room, use of sittingroom, bath. 1 C

AN exceptionally fine Self Contained First Floor Flat, Merrion square; six rooms, small kitchen, exclusive bathroom, electric light; rent £150. Appointment to view from Prim Bros., 21 Dawson street. 2 D

AT Innisfallen, Frankfort avenue, Rathgar—Nice large Front Bedroom, or Combined, sunny aspect; electric light; moderate. 3 D

BEAUTIFULLY Furnished Drawingroom Self Contained Flat to Let in select private house, Ballsbridge, containing large front drawingroom, double bedroom, kitchen, bath, and every convenience; reference required. Address "Z 4127, Flat," this office. 30 B

BOTANIC Gardens—2 good rooms, private house; every convenience; reasonable; two people only.—5 Cliftonville road. 1 C

BOARDERS can have very comfortable Apartments, full or partial board as required, electric light, Sittingroom, use of bathroom.—71 North Circular road, Phoenix Park. 1 A

COMBINED Room, private family; suit gentleman dining out.—38 Ashdale road, Terenure. 30 B

COMFORTABLY Furnished Hall Self Contained Flat to Let in private residence, Ballsbridge, containing front sittingroom, large double-bedroom, single bedroom, kitchenette, bath and every convenience; reference required. Address "Z 4128, Flat," this office. 30 B

COMFORTABLE Half House, Furnished, suit married couple; Cabra road.—M 683, this office. 1 C

COMFORTABLE Furnished Sittingroom, Bedroom or two, bath, electric.—55 Dartmouth square, Leeson Park.

DRUMCONDRA—Well Furnished Double Bedroom, large Front Sittingroom, Kitchen (sole use), gas cooker, close range, electric light; 1d. tram to Pillar; nice quiet house.—30 St. Patrick's road. 6 29

DONNYBROOK, 12 Belmont avenue—Superior Furnished Apartments; strict cleanliness; good cooking; bath. 30 B

FURNISHED Bedroom (two beds), Sittingroom, suit gentlemen, partial board; 22/ weekly; [illegible].—M 499, this office. 29 A

FURNISHED three Double Bedrooms, drawingroom, diningroom; garden; permanent.—M 599, this office. 30 B

FURNISHED Flat to Let; two bedrooms, sittingroom, kitchenette, gas cooker, electric light, use bath (hot and cold).—76 Morehampton road. 30 D

FURNISHED Flat; suit married couple.—41 Belvidere road, Drumcondra. 1 C

FRONT Sittingroom, one or two Bedrooms, suit girls dining out. Palmerston road; electric light.—M 696, this office. 1 C

FURNISHED Bedroom, Sittingroom, use kitchen, cooker, bath; no attendance.—3 Moyne road. 3 D

FLAT (Unfurnished), Lower Pembroke street; three rooms, kitchenette, use bathroom; £65. Apply Prim Bros., 21 Dawson street. 2 D

FURNISHED Hall Flat to Let, 2 bedrooms, sittingroom, kitchenette, bathroom, gas and electric, own meters; suit married couple or four girls. Apply 30 [illegible] road, Ballsbridge. 3 X

GROSVENOR square—Comfortable Residence offered gentleman dining out, private house; garage.—M 422, this office. 29 A

### APARTMENTS TO LET. CONTINUED

GOOD Locality, North side; three Partly Furnished Rooms; use bathroom; no children.—M 537, this office. 30 B

GENTLEMAN offered large airy Bedroom, use of Sittingroom, partial board; private family; South side.—M 690, this office. 1 C

HALF Well Furnished House to Let, 3 bedrooms, 1 sittingroom, box room; every convenience.—4 Connaught place, Clonskea. 1 A

MOREHAMPTON road—Half House to Let, Unfurnished, two bedrooms, sittingroom, kitchen; use of bathroom.—M 649, this office. 1 C

PEMBROKE Township—Furnished Bedroom; suit gentleman; convenient to trams and train; partial Board, with dinner on Sundays, if required; private house.—M 830, this office. 3 D

ROOMS to Let, opposite Show Grounds; partial board.—M 782, this office.

SANDYMOUNT, Strand road—Well Furnished Double Bedroom, use Sittingroom; suit one or two dining out; moderate.—M 488, this office. 29 A

SELF contained newly decorated Top Flat, two bedrooms, sittingroom, kitchen, bathroom, geyser, electric, gas, separate hall door.—65 Lower Leeson street. 1 C

SMALL Drawing Room Flat now vacant. Apply Garland and Co., 57 Dame street. 2 D

THREE roomed Flat, on same landing, Furnished or Unfurnished.—64 Grosvenor road. 29

TWO Gentlemen can have large comfortable Bedroom, electric light, bath; partial board; moderate; Waterloo road.—M 539, this office. 30 B

TO Let, a partly Furnished four roomed Flat, 35/- weekly; also a Combined Room.—91 Harcourt street. 1 C

TWO self contained Flats to Let, Mountjoy square. For particulars apply to M 739, this office. 1 B

TO Let, Furnished Bedroom; no attendance; Frankfort avenue; 10/-.—R O 1985, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

7 WOODSTOCK Gardens, Ranelagh—Combined Room or Sittingroom, two Bedrooms, kitchen, bath. 3 D

33 WINDSOR road, Rathmines—Furnished Bedroom, Sittingroom, Kitchenette; moderate. 1

### APARTMENTS WANTED

A YOUNG Man, R.C., wants Partial Board, dinner Sunday; no other lodgers; Rathmines district preferred; give full particulars.—M 719, this office. 1 A

BUSINESS Lady requires nice Combined Room, private house; partial board, slight attendance; South suburbs, Pembroke.—M 808, this office. 2 D

ELDERLY Gentleman wants Furnished Bedroom, attendance; very moderate.—M 809, this office.

IMMEDIATELY, Combined Room, attendance, vicinity Rathmines, Ranelagh.—M 801, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 2 B

LADY requires small Bedroom, use of Sittingroom, Pembroke road or Ballsbridge; terms moderate.—M 814, this office.

LADY requires Bedroom, use Sittingroom, Partial Board, North side; state terms.—M 318, this office.

LADY, slightly paralysed, requires Board, Room and attention; will pay 40/- weekly; Rathmines or Rathgar.—R O 1987, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

MARRIED couple require Self Contained Unfurnished Flat, 3 rooms, kitchenette, bath; moderate; Rathmines, Rathgar; excellent tenants.—M 744, this office. 2 D

ONE gentleman requires full or partial Board, quiet locality, South side.—M 823, this office.

YOUNG Lady wants one large or two small Unfurnished Rooms; moderate.—M 487, this office. 29 A

YOUNG Lady, out all day, requires Partial Board; convenient College Green.—M 813, this office.

### SEASIDE AND COUNTRY.

HOUSE TO LET AND WANTED

AT Laytown—To Let, St. Joseph's, Furnished, facing sea, eight rooms, bathroom h. and c., for June. Apply "Argus," Drogheda. 1 A

A COMFORTABLY Furnished Cottage, Kilcool Strand; five apartments; May, June, August.—Apply M 804, this office.

BLACKROCK—Advertisements for "Irish Times" received at 41 Main street up to 3.30 p.m. for following day's Paper. T

BALLINAHUSE Cottage, Arklow, to Let, Furnished, for summer months; £6 monthly; h.c. water. Apply Mrs. M. Wolohan. 30 A

BRAY, Meath road—Semi detached Residence, containing two reception and six bedrooms, kitchen, bath (hot and cold), electric light; large garden. Apply P. J. Byrne, Bray. 2 F

COUNTY Kerry Kells—Comfortable, compact Furnished Cottage, in good order, small lawn and garden, situate on the sea, to Let for May, June, August, and September; fishing in locality. Apply Lucy and Sons, Cork. 29 A

CIVIL Servant requires Furnished House; Sutton, Howth; May or season.—M 415, this office. 29 A

COTTAGES to Let for summer months in Rosslare. Particulars from Kelly, Strand Hotel, Rosslare. 30 B

DALKEY—Comfortable House to Let, October, six-eight months; beautifully situated. Address "Z 4123, House," this office. 30 B

FURNISHED House to Let, July, August, September; excellent servant if required.—2 Clarinda Park East, Kingstown. 30 B

GREYSTONES (Burnaby), July, well furnished, semi-detached Villa, garden; moderate.—Jepps, Agent. 29 A

GLENAGEARY—To Let for two or more months, well Furnished, detached, non-basement; 3 sitting, 5 or 6 bedrooms, tennis, garage, 'phone.—M 731, this office. 1 A

HOUSE or Flat to Let, Furnished; monthly or year. 3 Mount Norris, Bray. 29 A

HOUSE to Let, Furnished; two apartments; country district. Apply O'Brien, Lordello road, Shankill. 30 B

HOWTH and Sutton—Furnished Houses, summer Letting. Apply Walshe, House Agent, Howth. 20 X

HOUSE and 20 Acres Land to Let. Apply Reilly's, Ashbourne, Dublin. 1 B

KILCOOLE—Cottage to Let, 4 rooms, for summer months.—Kate Doran, Uppergreen Cottage, Kilcoole, Co. Wicklow. 29 A

KILCOOL Strand—Comfortably Furnished Cottage; five apartments; May, June, August; moderate.—Apply M 803, this office. 2 D

MALAHIDE—Furnished House to Let for summer months; detached; 2 reception rooms, 4 bedrooms, bath, h. and c.—M 691, this office. 1 C

PORTMARNOCK—Furnished Cottage to Let, from middle of May; monthly.—M 686, this office. 1 C

RUSH—To Let, two Houses, monthly or season. St. Maurs, St. Elmo; moderate.—Mrs. Keane. 29 A

ROSE Lodge, Balkill road, Howth (Furnished). Apply in person, 23 Ely place. 2 X

SHANKILL—To Let, Furnished, August, exceptionally fine House; beautiful situation, extensive grounds; tennis ground, garage. Address "Z 4163, House," this office. 1 C

SUTTON, Burrow—10 Rhodes Villas, summer months, close sea and golf. 2 D

TO Let, House, near Limavady, containing 2 sitting, 3 bedrooms, greenhouse, stables, large orchard, and garden.—J. and H. Brown, 44 Donegall street, Belfast. 29 A

TO Let—Furnished House, four bedrooms, two sittingrooms, large garden; seaside; seven miles city; yearly tenancy.—M 565, this office. 30 B

TO Let, May, June, July, Two-roomed Cottage; terms moderate.—Gregg, Summer Hill, Wicklow.

WESTMEATH Lakes—Furnished Fishing Lodge, with boats, on "Derravaragh," to Let for season or term. Apply to Briscoe, Killucan. 1 C

### APARTMENTS TO LET AND WANTED.

A LADY or Gentleman received as Paying Guest in quiet country house; own fowl, vegetables; driving. Terms and particulars from Miss White, 25 Nassau street. 29 A

AT Monkstown—Furnished Flats, Bed, Sittingrooms; ideally situated; overlooking bay.—14 Longford terrace. 29 A

A FURNISHED Flat to Let; 2 bedrooms, sittingroom, large kitchenette, newly decorated; gas cooker, geyser, garden; tennis; near train, tram.—11 Claremont Villas, Glenageary. 29 A

ALL requiring Apartments, Furnished and Unfurnished, should call Agency, 24 Main street, Blackrock. 3 D

AT "Tenny," Clarinda Park, East, Dun Laoghaire, Guests received; terms on application. 2 D

BED Sittingroom, attendance, for May or season; 30/- per week.—Mrs. Willington, Malahide. 29 A

BRAY—To Let, Flat; four rooms; every convenience; June £8; October to May, £5 monthly.—M 411, this office. 29 A

BRAY—To Let, Furnished Flat, 3 rooms, kitchenette, gas cooker (separate meter), every convenience; June, £6.—M 375, this office. 30 A

FARMHOUSE, comfortable Bedrooms, with use of combined Dining and Sittingroom, full board and attendance; fishing; £2 weekly. Address "Z 4191, Apartments," this office. 1 B

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# FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES

## IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

The following is a return of the business done on the Dublin and Belfast Stock Exchanges last week in each department, except Consols and War Loans. The day on which the business was done is indicated by the initial letter in parentheses, and dealings in odd lots are marked by an asterisk:—

### DUBLIN.

**National Loan**—96½ (M.), 94 x.d. (T.), 93½ (W.), *93½ (Th.).
**Do. Deed**—*93½ x.d. (T.), 93½ (W.).
**Compensation Stock**—*93½ (T.), 94 (W.).
**Guaranteed Land**—57½ (Th.).
**2¾ p.c. Land, 1933**—58½ (M.), 59½ (Th.).
**3 p.c. Land, 1939**—64½ (W.), *64½ (Th.).
**Dublin Stock**—72c. (T.), 71½c. (W.)
**Bank of England**—252 (M.).
**Bank of Ireland**—279c., 8c. (M.), 278c. (T.), 277c., 8c. (W.), *279c. (Th.).
**Hibernian Bank**—7½ (M.), 7½ (T.), 7½ (W.), 7½ (Th.).
**Munster and Leinster Bank**—7 (M.), 7⅛ (T.).
**National Bank**—20½ (M.), 20½ (T.), *20½ (W.), 20½ (Th.).
**Royal Bank**—13½ (T.).
**Great Northern Ord.**—*49 (M.).
**Do. Pref.**—52 (M.), 51½a. (Th.)
**Do. Guaranteed**—60½ (M.), 60½ (T.).
**Do. Debenture**—67½ (M.), 67½ (Th.).
**Great Southern Ord.**—30, 29½ (M.), 29½, *9 (T.), 28 (W.), 27½, 7 (Th.).
**Do. Pref.**—40 (M.), 40 (T.), 39½ (W.), *38 (Th.).
**Do. Guaranteed**—53 (W.), *52 (Th.).
**Do. Debenture**—62½ (M.), 62½ (T.).

**Alliance Gas Ord.**—6⅛ (M.).
**Alliance Gas Deb.**—67½ (T.).
**Bolands Pref.**—*5⅛ (T.).
**Bass Ratcliff Pref.**—92½ (M.).
**Bleachers**—72/9 (T.), 72/6 (Th.).
**Bradford Dyers**—*80/6 (W.).
**British-American Tobacco**—116/6 (M.), 117/6 (T.), 118/- (W.), 117/6 (Th.).
**Brunner Mond**—*41/6 (T.), 41/3b. (Th.).
**Bagots Hutton Pref.**—48/- (M.).
**Burke Ord.**—*77/6 (Th.).
**Burke Pref.**—76/9 (M.).
**Burke Deb.**—8½ (M.).
**British Controlled Oil Common**—*20/10½ (T.).
**British Controlled Oil Pref.**—19/4½ (M.).
**Courtaulds**—98/1½, 3d., 6d., 4½d. (M.), 99/3, 1½d., 9/-, 8/10½, 9/- (T.), 103/-, 2/6, 2/3, 2/-, 2/3, 100/6, 100/9 (W.), 97/9, *7/3, 6/9, 7/- (Th.).
**Courtaulds Pref.**—19/7½ (W.), 19/7½, 9d. (Th.).
**Calicos**—*37/6 (M.), *37/- (W.), *38/-, 7/10½ (Th.)
**Calico Pref.**—18/- (T.)
**Coats**—62/10½, 3/3 (M.), 63/3, 6d. (T.), 63/6 (W.), 63/3 (Th.).
**Coats B. Pref.**—23/7½ (W.).
**Cork Tram. Pref.**—5 (Th.).
**Crows Wilson Ord.**—13/- (T.).
**Chartered**—23/4½ (T.), 23/7½, *3/6 (Th.).
**Dublin Tram. Ord.**—6¼ (M.), 6¼ (W.), 6¼ (Th.).
**Dublin Tram. Pref.**—*8½ (Th.).
**Dublin Tram. A Deb.**—70a. (M.), 68 (T.).
**Dublin Tram. B Deb.**—68b. (Th.).
**Dublin Distillers Ord.**—*43/- (M.), *42/6 (T.).
**Dublin Distillers Pref.**—69/- (W.).
**Dockrell Ord.**—15/- (T.), *15/- (W.).
**Dunlops**—15/6, *7½d., 6d., 4½d. (M.), 15/4½ (T.), 15/6, *4½d., 4½d., 3d. (W.), 15/3, 15/- (Th.).
**Fine Spinners**—65/6 (M.), *64/10½, 5/- (T.), 64/7½ (W.).
**Guinness**—63½, ½ (M.), 63½, ¼, 4 (T.), 64, 3½, ¼, ½, ¾, 4 (W.), 63½, ½, 4, 3½ (Th.).
**Guinness Pref.**—*12½ (M.), 12½ (T.), 12½ (W.), 12½ (Th.).
**Imperial Tobacco, Canada**—30/3 (M.), 30/3 (T.), 30/6 (W.).
**Imperial Tobacco**—99/6, 9d. (M.), 99/-, 3d. (T.), 99/1½, 8/7½ (W.), 97/7½, 7/3, 6/6 (Th.).
**Irish-American Oil Pref.**—20/9 (M.), 20/9 (T.), 20/6 (Th.).
**"Irish Times" 6½ p.c. Pref.**—*71/- (M.).
**Lever 7 p.c.**—*21/1½, 6d., 7½d. (M.), *21/7½ (T.).
**Lever 8 p.c.**—21/- (M.), 21/- (T.).
**Lister and Co. Ord.**—31/9 (Th.).
**Marconi, Canada**—*4/9 (Th.).
**Millar and Beatty Pref.**—54/- (M.).
**Marconi**—32/-b., 32/6a. (M.), 32/6 (T.), 33/-, 2/9 (W.), 32/- (Th.).
**Millar (A) Pref.**—*12/6 (W.).
**Mooney (J. G.) Ord.**—*6½ (M.).
**Merchants Warehousing**—24/6 (T.), 24/6 (W.).
**Parkes Pref.**—12/1½ (M.), 12/- (W.).
**Power Pref.**—*17/6 (M.), 17/6 (T.)
**Provincial Tram. Ord.**—1/- (Th.).
**Provincial Tram. Pref.**—*40/- (Th.).
**Parent Trust Ord.**—21/3 (T.).
**Parent Trust Def.**—41/9, 2/- (M.), 42/6, 3/- (T.), 43/6 (W.), 42/9 (Th.).
**Parent Trust Pref.**—*15/- (M.), *15/6 (T.), 15/6 (W.), 15/6 (Th.).
**Sewing Cotton**—64/6 (M.), 65/- (T.), 65/- (W.), 64/9 (Th.).
**Shells**—*85/6 (M.), 85/9 (T.).
**Swedish Match "A"**—11 (T.).
**Todd Burns Ord.**—10/6 (M.).
**Thom Ord.**—*12/6 (T.).
**Triumph Cycle**—*38/3 (M.).
**Vickers**—9/- (T.), 9/- (W.), 8/- (Th.).
**Yam Seng Rubber**—2/6 (W.).
(c.—Cash; b.—Bid; a.—Asked.)

### BELFAST.

**Belfast Corporation 3½ p.c., 1928**—92½ (T.).
**Belfast Corporation 3½ p.c. 1940**—78b. (Th.).
**Belfast Water Commissioners 3 p.c.**—62b. (Th.).
**Northern Bank A**—5½, 5½ (T.), 5½ (W.), 5½ (Th.).
**Westminster Bank**—18½ (T.).
**Great Northern Railway Stock**—49 (M.), 49 (W.).
**Great Northern Railway Guaranteed**—60½ (W.).
**Great Southern Railway Guaranteed**—53 (W.).
**Arnott and Co.**—47/- (T.).
**Belfast Ropework**—98 (Th.).
**British-American Tobacco Ord.**—116/6 (Th.).
**British Cotton and Wool Dyers**—8/9 (M.), 8/- (Th.)
**Chartered**—23/- (M.), 23/8½ (Th.).
**Coats Ord.**—63/- (M.), 63/1½ (T.), 63/- (W.).
**Dunlop Rubber**—15/3, 15/6, 15/3 (M.), 15/3, 15/4½ (T.), 15/6, 15/3 (W.), 15/1½, 15/- (Th.).
**Fairbairn Lawson Deb.**—65½ (W.).
**Imperial Tobacco**—98/- (M.), 98/6 (T.), 96/6 (Th.)
**Inglis Ord.**—61/- (Th.).
**Lister Ord.**—32/6 (W.).
**Lever Bros. 7 p.c.**—20/10½ (M.), 21/1½, 21/4½ (T.).
**Lever Bros. 8 p.c.**—20/10½ (M.), 21/1½ (T.).
**Mayoole Deferred**—6/3 (T.), 6/3 (Th.).
**Mitchell and Co. Pref.**—6½ (M.).
**Parent Trust**—43/1½ (W.).
**Robertson, Ledlie Ferguson**—5½ (Th.).
**Salt Union**—28/- (T.).
**Sawers Ord.**—24/- (M.).
**Tate and Lyle 6½ p.c. Pref.**—24/6 (W.).
**White, Tomkins and Courage Ord.**—26/3a. (Th.).
**York Street Flax Spinning Co. 7 p.c. Pref.**—22/- (M.).
**York Street Flax Spinning Co. 4½ p.c. Deb.**—81 (M.).
(a.Asked; b.—Bid.)

## TROPICAL PRODUCE MARKET EASIER.

(FROM OUR COMMERCIAL CORRESPONDENT.)
*LIVERPOOL, Saturday.*

The tropical produce market has been somewhat variable in trend and after a moderately active business closes the week somewhat easier. Palm oil in the early part of the week was deadly dull owing to dealers holding out for full prices, but, with buyers refusing to join in, the former have had to moderate their views somewhat in order to attract business. The Continent has again been the main purchaser, with home consumers only moderately interested. America has confined itself merely to inquiries. Oil to arrive in the summer months has been steadily inquired for, consequently the discounts in these positions are on the small side. In Lagos and softs the discount for May arrival is, roughly, 5s. per ton; May-June arrival, 7s. 6d., and June-August, 10s. per ton. Medium and hard oils continue scarce on spot, the discounts for May arrival being as large as 20s. per ton, and 30s. for May-June arrival. Sales during the week are estimated at 1,650 tons, with Lagos quoted £38 12s. 6d.; Sherbros, £39 10s.; Opobo, £38 17s. 6d.; Benin, £40 10s., and Niger, £41 10s. During March 1,066 tons of oil was exported from the United Kingdom, America taking one-third, the Netherlands one-quarter, the remainder being divided between Germany and Belgium.

Palm kernels continue in short supply, and even the absence of buyers has failed to prevent values hardening. In the middle of the week February-April shipment was done at £21 12s. 6d., £21 13s. 9d. and £21 11s. 3d., while April-June shipment commanded £21 6s. 3d. per ton. Since then the market has become a shade easier. Hull consumers have shown a return to activity, purchasing a fair amount of material up to £21 2s. 6d. for March-April and May-June shipment, with second-hand sellers of any period at £21 5s. There has been a fair amount of business with Hamburg in afloat material up to £21 12s. 6d. for April, May at £21 10s., and May-June at £21 6s. 3d.

Copra still meets a strong demand for material near at hand and very full prices have been made, both to Hamburg and Rotterdam. Marseilles has ruled steady. Kiln-dried South Sea, April-May shipment, has been done at £28 12s. 6d. and F.M. Straits at £29 5s., with further buyers at 2s. 6d. less in each case. April-May shipment to Rotterdam figures at £29 5s. for F.M. Straits, and £29 7s. 6d. for F.M. South Sea.

Ground nuts quieter, with prices slightly easier, especially for afloat material. Nigerian decorticated rule firm for distant positions, but afloat material has changed hands at £24 5s., with further buyers at this figure.

Refined oils command higher values for near delivery, but, generally speaking, values are about unchanged on the week. Nut oils have been a steady market, with prices occasionally a little dearer.

## LIVERPOOL MEAT IMPORTS.

Nearly a quarter of a million carcases of mutton and lamb were included in last week's imports of cattle and fresh meat at Liverpool from overseas ports. Ten steamers arrived with freights as follows:—The Ulysses, from Australia, with 3,001 quarters of beef; the Oxonian, from Portland, with 803 cattle; the Montrose, from St. John, with 1,665 boxes, etc., of meat; the Canada, from Portland, with 1,490 boxes of meat; the Grecia, from Buenos Ayres, with 484 sheep carcases and 7,492 quarters of beef; the Dorset, from New Zealand, with 48,813 sheep and lamb carcases; 315 carcases of pork, and 1,002 quarters of beef; the Adriatic, from New York, with 1,117 carcases and bags of pork; the Runic, from Australia, with 846 carcases of lamb, 2,000 bags of meat, and 5,463 quarters of beef; the Romanstar, from San Sebastian, with 170,844 sheep and lamb carcases and 14,992 bags of mutton and lamb; and the Montreal, from St. John, with 1,868 boxes of meat, making a total of 803 cattle, 219,679 sheep and lamb carcases, 1,432 boxes and carcases of pork, 22,005 boxes, etc., of meat, and 16,958 quarters of beef. Compared with the imports of the preceding week, these figures show an increase of 299 cattle, 97,985 sheep and lamb carcases, 260 boxes, etc., of pork, and 8,959 boxes, etc., of meat, and a decrease of 84,593 quarters of beef.

## LONDON MONEY MARKET.

### CREDIT IN ABUNDANT SUPPLY.

#### DISCOUNTS FIRM.

As a result of Friday's large disbursements money was in abundant supply on Saturday, and while old loans were renewed at 3¼-3½ per cent. fresh borrowers were able to obtain accommodation at 3½ down to 2¾ per cent. over the week-end. Weekly fixtures were continued at 3¾ per cent.

| Bank Rate Discount (changed March 5, 1925), 5% | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 60 days (fine) | 4¾ | 4⅝% | Trade | |
| 3 months | 4¾ | 4⅝% | | 5½% |
| 4 months | 4¾ | 4⅝% | | 5½% |
| 6 months | 4½ | 4⅝% | | 5½% |
| Loans to brokers day-to-day | | | | 3½% |
| for a week | | | | 3¾% |
| Deposit allowance: Banks at call | | | | 3% |
| Discount houses at call | | | | 3% |
| at notice | | | | 3¼% |

The Discount market remained firm, with fine three months' bills quoted at 4¾ per cent. and secondhand Treasuries offered at 4⅝ per cent.

The Bank sold £2,000 in bar gold.

Silver rose ⅛d. on China buying, to 31 7/16d. per ounce for spot, and 31⅜d. for forward delivery.

#### THE EXCHANGES.

For the tenth consecutive day there was a rise in the Swiss exchange rate, this being the one most unfavourably to this country. The quotation hardened to 25.04, as compared with 24.77 on April 2nd, parity being 25.22½. The exchanges of Spain, Italy, Norway, Denmark, Greece, and Yugo-Slavia also moved in our favour—that is, those currencies depreciated. The Rumanian rate was lower, and to a very slight extent Holland moved against us. France and Belgium repeated previous rates, while most South African centres were closed for a holiday. The American exchange scarcely went above 4.84¼, and closed a little below that figure, or slightly more adverse to this country. Among Eastern exchanges, Bombay and Calcutta were both slightly better at 1s. 5 15/16d., while the Shanghai dollar hardened to 3s. 0¼d.

The market price of gold, which is also the Bank of England's selling price, remained at 84s. 11½d. per fine ounce. The Bank of England announced that bar gold to the value of £2,000 had been sold.

| | May 2. Highest and Lowest. | | May 1 Closing Rates. | | Par Vals. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Amsterdam | 12.07 | 12.07½ | 12.07½ | 12.07½ | 12.10 |
| B. Ayres | 43¾ | 43½ | 43⅞ | 43½ | 47.58 |
| Barcelona | 33.32 | 33.35 | 33.10 | 33.15 | 25.22 |
| Berlin | 20.35 | 20.37 | 20.35 | 20.37 | 20.40 |
| Brussels | 95.50 | 95.65 | 95.50 | 95.65 | 25.22½ |
| Calcutta | 1 5⅞ | | 1 5⅞ | | 2/0 |
| Copenhagen | 25.90 | 25.93 | 25.86 | 25.90 | 18.1½ |
| Finland | 192 | 192 | 192½ | 192½ | 25.22½ |
| Geneva | 25.02 | 25.04 | 25.01 | 25.03 | 25.22½ |
| Greece | 258 | 260 | 258 | 260? | 25.22½ |
| Italy | 117.55 | 117.65 | 117.60 | 117.65 | 24.58d. |
| Kobe (p.yn.) | 1/8⅛ | | 1/8⅛ | | 25.22½ |
| Madrid | 33.16 | 33.42 | 3.15 | 33.15 | 4.7/6 |
| Montreal | 4.84½ | 4.84 | 1.84½ | 4.84½ | 51.1 |
| Montevideo | Holiday | | 46½ | | 4.86 |
| New York | 4.84⅛ | 4.84 | 4.84½ | 4.84½ | 18.15 |
| Oslo | 29.11 | 29.15 | 29.10 | 29.14 | 25.22 |
| Paris | 92.40 | 92.5 | 92.40 | 92.45 | 25.22½ |
| RiodeJan. | 5⅜ | 5½ | 5⅜ | 5⅜ | 16d. |
| Shanghai | 3/0⅛ | | 3 0⅛ | | — |
| Singapore | 2/4⅛ | | 2/4⅛ | | 2/4⅛ |
| Stockholm | 18.10 | 18.12 | 18.11 | 18.13 | 18.15 |
| Vienna | 34.35 | 34.45 | 34.35 | 34.45 | 25.22 |
| Warsaw | 25.05 | 25.25 | 25.05 | 25.25 | 34.58½ |

*Sch. to £. † Nominal.

## DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

ANGLO-FRENCH TEXTILE.—Dividend of 20 per cent., and bonus of 10 per cent., free of tax, on Ordinary Shares for year.

ANGLO-JAVA RUBBER AND PRODUCE.—Dividend of 7½ per cent., less tax, also an interim dividend of 5 per cent., less tax, in respect of year 1925.

BRITISH BANK OF SOUTH AMERICA.—The directors recommend a dividend of 10/- per share, making 10 per cent. for the year 1924. The gross profits were £556,522, and balance brought forward was £106,744. After deducting all charges and taxes there remained £222,274 available for distribution. Directors have transferred £15,000 to new pension fund, exclusive of that in Argentina, leaving £107,274 carried forward.

BENGER'S FOOD.—Net profit, £56,506, against £60,294 last year. Dividend maintained at 2/- per share, tax free.

BUKIT RADANG RUBBER.—Dividend of 5 per cent., less tax.

CARNARVON (SELANGOR) RUBBER.—Dividend of 12½ per cent., less tax.

DEBENTURE SECURITIES INVESTMENT.—Dividend at rate of 8 per cent. per annum, less tax, on Ordinary Shares for half-year.

EXPRESS DAIRY.—Final dividend of 8 per cent.

FULLERS.—Dividend of 7½ per cent., less tax, on Ordinary Shares.

ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS AND SKETCH.—Dividend of 6½ per cent. on Preference Shares for year, and 17½ per cent. on Ordinary Shares for year.

LOTHIAN COAL.—After charging Preference dividend for year and interim dividend on Ordinary shares, and providing for depreciation and taxation, available balance was £90,016. Directors recommend applying £5,000 to staff pension fund and final dividend of 10 per cent., free of tax, on Ordinary shares, leaving £40,616 carried forward.

MEDINI RUBBER.—Dividend of 15 per cent., leaving £3,204 carried forward.

MAYFIELD (DIMBULA) TEA OF CEYLON.—Final dividend of 30 per cent., less tax, on the Ordinary.

MADRAS ELECTRIC TRAMWAYS, 1904.—Final dividend on Ordinary Shares at rate of 8 per cent. per annum, free of tax.

PROVINCIAL LAUNDRIES.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent., less tax, on Ordinary Shares.

PULLMAN CAR.—Dividend of 7½ per cent., less tax, on Ordinary Shares for year.

PUERTO CABELLO AND VALENCIA RAILWAY.—Dividend of 3 per cent., less tax.

PELMADULLA RUBBER.—Final dividend of 15 per cent., less tax.

ROCHDALE AND MANOR BREWERY.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent., less tax, on Ordinary Shares.

ST. GEORGE RUBBER.—Dividend of 15 per cent., leaving £2,287 carried forward.

TEXAS LAND AND MORTGAGE.—Dividend of 10 per cent., plus bonus of 5 per cent., transferring £5,000 to reserve, £3,000 to contingency fund, leaving £7,302 carried forward.

THIRD MILE (F.M.S.) RUBBER.—Including £3,692 brought in, balance at credit of profit and loss for the year to December 31 last is £7,324. Dividend of 7½ per cent., less tax.

TANGGA BATU RUBBER CO.—Dividend of 7½ per cent., less tax.

W. B. DICK.—Dividend of 5 per cent., and bonus of 2½ per cent., both free of tax, on Ordinary Shares for year.

W. T. LOWRIE AND CO.—Dividend on Ordinary Shares to March 31, 1925, of £1 15/- per share.

## DUBLIN WEEKLY TRADE REPORT.

### EXPORTS OF PORTER.

Messrs. A. Guinness, Sons and Co.'s shipments of porter from Dublin, as returned by the Customs daily shipping lists for the past week were:—

| Butts. | Hhds. | Brls. | Hf.Brls. | Qr.Brls. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2,172 | 14,528 | 1,169 | 5,363 | 777 |

Corresponding week's shipments for previous three years:—

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1924 | 3,103 | 18,910 | 954 | 1,350 | 375 |
| 1923 | 960 | 5,433 | 172 | 211 | 52 |
| 1922 | 840 | 5,241 | 148 | 199 | 27 |

The above exports are equal to 21,569 hhds. for 1925, as against 26,196 hhds. for 1924, 7,364 hhds. for 1923, and 8,205 hhds. for 1922.

The following quantities of porter were also shipped from Dublin by the various firms named as returned by the Customs daily shipping lists for week ending May 2nd, 1925:

| | Bts. | Hhds. | Brls. | Hf. Brls. | Qr. Brls. | Total. Hhds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Watkins | — | 27 | 99 | 262 | 50 | 189 |
| Mountjoy Brewery Co. | — | 17 | 7 | 52 | 2 | 40 |
| D'Arcy & Son | — | 19 | — | — | — | 19 |
| Total | — | 63 | 106 | 314 | 52 | 248 |

Others 17,423 gallons.

Corresponding week's shipments for previous three years:—

| | Bts. | Hhds. | Brls. | Hf. Brls. | Qr. Brls. | Total Hhds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1924 | — | 42 | 135 | 492 | 37 | 303 |
| 1923 | — | 48 | 112 | 406 | 60 | 290 |
| 1922 | — | 64 | 165 | 177 | 3 | 197 |

### EXPORTS OF WHISKEY.

The quantities of whiskey exported from Dublin, as returned by the Customs daily shipping lists and bills of entry, for the week ending May 2, 1925, were as follow:—John Jameson and Son, Ltd., 8,784 gallons; John Power and Son, Ltd., 104 gallons; Distillers Co., Ltd., Dundalk, 6,004 gallons. Others, 294 gallons.

Corresponding week's shipments for previous three years:—

1924—3,924 gallons. 1923—4,040 gallons.

| | Pns. | Butts | Hhds. | Cks. | Qr-Cks. | Octs. | Kegs. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1922 | — | 31 | 41 | 156 | 19 | 91 | 11 |

Direct foreign imports at the Port of Dublin last week embraced:—From New Orleans—36 lbs. sawn wood, 198 lds. staves pcs., 3,000 cwts. cotton seed cake. From Antwerp—200 cwt. cattle feeding, 150 tons Portland cement, 60 cwt. nitrate soda, 90 cwt. packing paper, 55 tons iron bars, 42 cwt. wire nails, 76 doz. Brunswarc, 339 tons cement, 29 cwts. hoop, 160 cwts. wire, 200 tons basic slag, 200 cwts. sulphate of copper, 2,162 doz. brushes, 46 cwts. maize staves, 2,000 cwts. [illegible] tiles. From Rotterdam—Mixed cargo, comprising margarine, Agric. machinery, [illegible] phosphate, rice, strawboards, enamel ware, [illegible]. From Hamburg—Miscellaneous cargo, consisting of asphalt, enamel ware, rock salt, white wood, brush ware, cod liver oil, wrapping paper. From St. John's, N.B.—34,666 cwts. flour, 2,676 cwts. oatmeal. From Boulogne—475 tons builders cement, 200 cwts. cement slabs. From Avonmouth—95,000 gallons gas oil, 48,000 gallons fuel oil. From Gothenburg—460 cwts. carbide of calcium. From New York—340 cwts. agricultural machinery. From Goteborg—301 cwts. paper, 33 [illegible] box boards, 20 cwts. cod liver oil. From cross-Channel ports, 24,636 tons of coal arrived per 52 collier vessels.

The French municipal elections passed off quietly yesterday. The voting was heavy.

## FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

**BRITISH CONTROLLED OILFIELDS.**

In view of the prominence which has recently been given in the Press to certain rumours in connection with the British Controlled Oilfields, the directors announce that they have been approached by representatives of the Standard Oil Company of California with tentative proposals regarding their Buchivacoa Concession. These discussions have been of an entirely informal nature, as the American representatives in question had not the authority of their company to act. Should anything definite eventuate, shareholders will be informed without delay.

**NEW G.W.R. DIRECTOR.**

Colonel W. H. Wyndham-Quin, of 5 Seymour street, Portman square, London, W., has been appointed a director of the Great Western Railway Company to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Lord Barrymore. Colonel Wyndham-Quin, who is on the Cardiff local board of the North British and Mercantile Insurance Company, is cousin and heir to the Earl of Dunraven. He was a major in the 16th Lancers and raised and commanded the Glamorgan Imperial Yeomanry; fought in the Boer War, 1881, and in South Africa again in 1900, when he was awarded the D.S.O. From 1895 to 1906 Colonel Wyndham-Quin represented South Glamorgan in Parliament in the Conservative interest. He is 68 years of age.

**SOUTH AFRICAN TARIFF.**

The Parliamentary Correspondent of the *African World* telegraphs from Cape Town that the South African Government has decided to amend the preference duties in favour of Great Britain.

**THE OUTLOOK.**

It was only natural that the satisfaction with which Mr. Churchill's first Budget was received by the City should have been followed by some misgivings, mainly on the score of ability to maintain the gold standard without increasing Bank rate, but the reserves held in this country look strong enough to meet any probable contingency, and, no doubt, the Bank of England will make every effort to avoid placing any additional burden upon industry (writes *The Sunday Times*). It was to be expected that the silk duty, which promises to be a very difficult matter to collect, would meet with strong opposition, but although there may be minor modifications, we do not suppose the Chancellor will sacrifice this new source of revenue. The collapse in Courtaulds from 105s. to 95s. lends point to our recent warning against the gambling element that has been introduced into these shares. As an industrial investment they are still in the front rank, but it is quite probable that, following upon the grave statement issued regarding the effects of the new duty, the price will give way further as the result of realisations by stale bulls, in which case the shares would again become attractive. On any material setback also the leading Tobacco Shares should be worth buying.

**ARGENTINE MEAT CONFLICT.**

With reference to certain comments which have recently been made, the directors of the English and Dutch Meat Company, Ltd., make the following statement:—"In the last few months serious developments have taken place in the Argentine meat trade. A conflict between leading interests in this trade has suddenly broken out and has brought about that the price of cattle in the Argentine has risen to such a figure that it is quite impossible to ship Argentine meat to Europe without considerable loss. In view of these abnormal circumstances, the board of directors of the English and Dutch Meat Company, which stands outside this conflict, have decided to reduce the shipments to a minimum, at the same time reducing the running expense to the utmost limit compatible with the keeping up of its full organisation, so as to be able to resume shipments as soon as normal circumstances will prevail again. The general feeling is that this cannot be long delayed."

**TRAMWAY TRAFFIC RECEIPTS.**

Official returns of 40 of the principal tramway undertakings in the United Kingdom, as published by "The Tramway and Railway World" for the week ended April 18 (which included Easter Monday) give total receipts of £377,565, or £20,701 more than in the corresponding week of last year. The total length of track included in the returns was 2,296 miles, as compared with 2,218 miles a year ago. Receipts this year were at the rate of £164 8s. 10d. per mile of single track, and last year at the rate of £160 17s. 10d., thus showing an increase for the week of £3 11s. per mile open.

**AVERAGE TEA PRICES.**

While all fine, medium, and common grade teas offered at the past week's auctions in Mincing Lane obtained good prices where the quality was sound, there was no demand for the poor quality teas, of which there was a good deal in the market, and which are the result of the "coarse" plucking policy. In the case of the latter a decline of 2d. per lb. was frequently experienced, and the Tea Brokers' Association of London point out that the quantity of tea selling below 1s. was considerably larger. The average price realised for Northern India teas, which included most of the poor grades, came out at 1s. 4.10d. per lb., as against 1s. 4.37d. at the previous sale. The Southern Indian figure was 1s. 5.94d., compared with 1s. 6.04d., and the Java 11.30d., against 1s. 0.19d. The Ceylon average exceptionally was slightly higher at 1s. 8.29d., compared with 1s. 8.20d.

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## PRICES OF RECENT ISSUES.

Amalgamated Rubber Estates (1/6 paid), 1¼ dis.-1½ pm. Argentine Gt. Western Rly. 5 p.c. Deb. 93¾-4¼. Australian Sheep Farms (£5) (fully paid), 5¼-¼. Bath Corporation 4½ p.c. 1945-55 (£67½ paid), 1-1¼ pm. Bengal North-Western Rly. 5 p.c. Debs. (£55 paid), 1¼-½dis. Buntar Rubber, 3-3/6 pm. Burndept Wireless 7½ p.c. Preferred Ord. (10/- paid) 1/9-2/3 pm. Chesterfield 4½ p.c. (fully paid) 98-½. Columbia Graphophone 7½ p.c. Pref. (10/- paid), 3d.-9d. pm. Conversion (new) Loan 3½ p.c. (£5 paid), ⅛ dis., ⅛ pm. Cotton Plantation (5/- paid), 2/1½-1/7½ dis. Danzig 7 p.c. (£25 paid), ¼-⅛ pm. Fife 4½ p.c. 1945-55 (£25 paid), par-⅛ pm. Grimsby Corporation 4½ p.c. 1946-55 (£67½ paid), ⅛ dis.-par. Hall Lewis 7½ p.c. Pref. (10/- paid), 6d. dis.-6d. pm. Hobart (City of) 5 p.c. Debs. (fully paid), 98⅛-9. Indian Iron and Steel 7½ p.c. Debs. (£25 paid), par-⅛ pm. Kuala Muda Rubber (5/- paid), 2/6-3/- pm. London Corporation of 4½ p.c. Debs. 1940-65 (£35 paid), ⅛-¼ pm. London and North-Eastern 5 p.c. Red. Pref., 97⅛-⅝. London County Properties 6 p.c. Debs. (£35 paid), 1¼-1¾ pm. London, Midland and Scottish 5 p.c. Pref. (fully paid), 99⅛-100⅛. Madras Electric Supply 8½ p.c. Pref. (5/- paid), 9d. dis.-par. Marconi New Ord. (17/6 paid), 4/3-4/9 pm. Melso £1 Ordinary, 27/3-28/9. Do. 7½ p.c. Pref. (fully paid), 21/3-21/9. Middlesbrough Corporation 4½ p.c. 1945-65 (fully paid), 93⅛-4⅛. Newfoundland 5 p.c. (£60 paid), ⅛-⅛ pm. North British Aluminium 4½ p.c. Debs. (£66½ paid), 2½-1½ dis. Rego Clothiers 7½ p.c. Pref. (10/- paid), 2/-1/- dis. Rio Cape Line 8 p.c. Debs. (£30 paid), ⅛ dis.-⅛ pm. River Plate British and Continental Meat Ord. (10/- paid), 4/-3/- dis. Do. 8 p.c. Prefd. (fully paid), 96-91. Do. 7 p.c. Pref., 96-7. Rotherham 4½ p.c. (fully paid), 97⅛-8⅛. St. Helens Corporation 4½ 1945-55 (£67½ paid), ⅛-⅛ dis. Sendayan Rubber (10/- paid), 6d.-1s. 6d. pm. Stanton Ironwork 4½ p.c. Debs. (£66½ paid), 2⅛-1⅛ dis. Stephens (H.C.) (fully paid), 18/6-19/6. Do. 7 p.c. Pref. (fully paid), 20/1½-20/7½. Sudan Construction and Equipment 4½ p.c. Debs. (£66½ paid), 2⅛-1½ dis. Union Commercial Investment 5 p.c. Debs. (£60 paid), 3½-2½ dis. Union Steel of South Africa 7 p.c. Debs. (£35 paid), 102-3. Veno Drug 8 p.c. Pref. (fully paid), 19/9-20/9. Vocalion Gramophone, 10/4½-10½d. Wakefield Corporation 4½ p.c. 1945 (£67½ paid), ⅛ dis.-⅛ pm. Yorkshire Electric New Ord. (£1) (3/6 paid), 4/9-5/3 pm.

## WIRELESS RECEPTION IN THE FAR NORTH.

*OTTAWA (By Mail.)*

It has been officially announced that the Canadian Government steamship Arctic, while on an expedition to the far north last summer, established a world's "record" in receiving short wave length messages. While the vessel was nearing Cape Sabine, within eleven degrees of the North Pole, a message was received from Pittsburg, U.S. The transmission took place on a wave length of 64 metres, and it was found that the short wave signals penetrated the daylight of the Arctic with virtually no loss in signal strength. The messages were received on an experimental set.—(Reuter.)

# PRODUCE AND FOOD.

## CATTLE.

**DONCASTER.**—Light supplies of cattle, but stores met with better trade, and prices firm. Good milk cows scarce, and bad trade, best making £34; three-year-old bullocks £20 to £26, young bullocks £15 to £18, grazes £25 to £32, and stirks £10 to £12. Few Midland sheep at 70/-. Improved trade for pigs, especially young stores.

**NORWICH.**—Heavy supplies of cattle were on offer, and 13/6 per stone was realised, while some sorts were slightly lower on the week at 12/- per stone. Store cattle were more numerous, and with the inquiry keener ranged from £14 to £20. Calves were again in small supply, veal making up to 1/3 per lb. There was a larger entry of fat and store sheep, mutton offering at 1/7 per lb. Stores were dear, and sold in couples at £8 10/-, while others made 100/- each. The show of pigs was fair, fat pork being slightly easier at 13/6 per stone. Strong stores changed hands at 66/-. There was a fair demand for small stores, sows and pigs selling at £19 10/-. At market—Cattle 1,00, sheep 1,400, and pigs 450.

## GRAIN.

**FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC.**—WHEAT—Cargoes. No. 1 May afloat sellers 62/6, white Pacific August-September 54/6, Australian afloat 58/6, April 59/-, Rosafe 63½lb. afloat 60/6, Baril ditto 58/6. Parcels dull. No. 1 Northern Manitoba May sellers 62/3, June 62/6, July 62/6, Australian early June 58/6, choice white Karachi May-June 60/9 per 480lbs.

**LIVERPOOL.**—WHEAT—The heavy advance in Winnipeg and Chicago had already been largely discounted here, and forward deliveries of wheat, after showing a liberal improvement at the outset, afterwards receded on realisations and somewhat bearish Australian crop advices, final rates being ¼d. lower. C.i.f. marking only a moderate advance on the night. C.i.f. parcels No. 3 Manitoba April-May sold at 37/9, and No. 1 Duluth June-July 37/4½ per qr. C.i.f. parcels MAIZE River Plate May-June held at 37/9, and June-July 36/6 per qr., and 37/6 paid, refused for the former. Wheat on the spot firmly held. Maize—Spot parcels sparingly offered and dearer, 9/5 to 9/6 per cental being now asked for River Plate and Australian. FLOUR in only moderate request, unaltered. Graded wheat futures opened 1¾d. to 1¼d. per cental dearer, then reacted, and fluctuated moderately, the market closing quiet, and only ½d. to ¾d. per cental over last night. Sales—120 loads at 12/1, 0½d., 11⅞d. for May, 12/1, 0⅛d., 11/11⅞, 11/11½ July, and 11/3½, 4⅛d., 3⅞d., 4⅛d. October delivery. Values—May 12/-, July 11/11⅛, October 11/4½ per cental. Maize—Options nominally ½d. per cental dearer. Closing value—May 9/4 per cental. Imports of grain (cwts.):—To-day—Wheat, 4,200; flour, 2,480; maize, 380; peas, 1,082. This week—Wheat, 287,325; flour, 11,080; maize, 67,811; peas, 7,301; beans, 20. This year—Wheat, 6,759,627; peas, 166,826; beans, 176,329; maize, 1,585,254; oats, 6,113,048; flour, 218,349; 9,387. Last year—Wheat, [illegible]; flour, [illegible]; maize, 1,742,008; peas, 150,098; beans, 71,510.

## PROVISIONS.

**DUBLIN POTATO.**—Sales were dull for the rather fair arrival of potatoes at 8/6 to 9/- per cwt. for Skerry Blues and Champions, and 7/- to 8/- per cwt. for Arran Chiefs and Dates.

**DUBLIN FISH.**—Fish was in small compass on market—viz., 45 packages salmon, 14 chests lobsters, two packages herrings, and one box mackerel. Sales were poor at following rates:—Salmon 2/- to 2/3 per lb. Large lobsters 20/- to 30/-, seconds 15/- to 17/6, and smalls 5/- to 10/- per lot of 13. Large soles 20/- to 30/-, mediums 15/- to 17/6, and slips 5/- to 10/- per nine score. Large plaice 4/- to 6/- per four, mediums 4/- to 5/- per eight. Turbot 6d. to 8d. each; brill 6d. to 5/- each. Box fish—Plaice 20/- to 25/-, codfish 20/- to 25/-, and ray 7/- to 10/- and 20/- per half-box. Herrings and mackerel averaged 8/- per box.

**DUBLIN VEGETABLES.**—Cabbage was in good supply and other vegetable fair. Demand was good all round at following prices:—York cabbage 27/-, 39/-, 55/-, 84/-, 96/- and 100/- per load, also at 9/- to 10/3 per bag. Cauliflowers 2/9 to 5/9 per dozen; Swede turnips 2/6 per cwt.; lettuce 1/- to 2/3 per dozen; scallions 7d. bundle; celery 6d. to 10d. bunch, and rhubarb 3/- to 7/- bundle.

**CORK BUTTER.**—The market continues steady and featureless. Creameries 170/-, and choicest mild 165/- per cwt.

**LIVERPOOL.**—Irish BACON is still quiet at late rates, being relatively too dear, but Danish in improved request at higher prices of 112/- to 114/- per cwt. Canadian Wiltshires quiet, but not quotably altered. Holders of American selections of bacon here are still free sellers, owing to the continued disappointing demand and accumulating stocks, singed Wiltshires being reduced to 88/- to 91/-, long clear 99/- to 103/-, and backs 96/- to 101/- per cwt., without attracting buyers. HAMS also quiet, and freely offered, extra skinned being easier at 120/- to 128/- per cwt. Shoulders in only limited request, but no further decline is made in values of any description. LARD on the spot, following the sharp advance in Chicago, is raised 1/-, prime steam now 78/6 to 79/-, and American refined 80/- to 81/-, but buyers operate only for their actual needs. CHEESE still quiet, the recent decline in value failing to stimulate buyers to any appreciable extent. BUTTER steady, and in moderate request at recent currencies. EGGS quiet at 12/6 to 15/3 for Irish hen, 12/9 to 13/6 duck, and 8/6 to 8/9 per 120 Egyptian. Imports of provisions (boxes, etc.):—Bacon—To-day, 4,117; hams, 1,136; lard, 750. This week—Bacon, 31,090; hams, 13,904; lard, 10,287; pork, 60; cheese, 5,453; butter, 3,581.

**BILLINGSGATE FISH.**—Supply and demand fair. Salmon 2/- to 2/6, soles 1/- to 1/10, and slips 1/4d. to 1/8 per lb. Live eels 18/- to 32/- and dead 10/- to 25/- per draught. Turbot 8/- to 12/-, brill 3/- to 8/-, plaice 7/- to 11/-, halibut 10/- to 14/-, lemon soles 10/- to 15/-, whitings 5/- to 9/-, hake 6/- to 8/-, cod 9/- to 6/-, skate 3/- to 5/-, and haddocks 3/- to 7/- per stone.

**LIVERPOOL REFINED LARD "FUTURES."**—The sharp rise in Chicago had already been largely discounted here, and, with sellers somewhat less reserved, prices were only 3d. per cwt. over Friday night for near, and unchanged for distant at the finish of operations. May sold at 80/-, to 79/9, July 80/6, Sept. 82/6 to 82/3, and Oct. 83/6 to 83/3 per cwt.

## PRODUCE.

**LIVERPOOL.**—CANE SUGAR continues dull, with sellers of Cubans May-June shipment at 12/7½ per cwt. c.i.f., basis 96 deg. pol., c.i.f. U.K. The following are Messrs. Tate and Lyle's (Ltd.) quotations for Saturday:—Crystals—No. 1 33/3, small No. 1 33/3, No. 2 31/6, bright 31/4½. Granulated—Standard 31/5, H.T.S. 31/4½, coarse 31/7½, fine 31/7½ ex refinery Liverpool, less 1½ p.c. discount. Cubes ex refinery in London—First quality 35/3, H.T.S. 35/-, afternoon 36/-, less 1½ p.c. discount. COCOA—West African on spot continues quiet. Limited offers of afloat main crop at 35/- and middle crop for shipment at 33/6 per cwt. c.i.f. COFFEE rules slow at further reduced rates. RICE—Burmah remains steady, but business slow. Spot new crop No. 2 16/- quoted, and forward shipment 14/6 to 14/9 per cwt. c.i.f. HEMP—Manila quiet, steady. Values basis £47 per ton, c.i.f. J grade May-July and June-August shipments. SAGO FLOUR—Sarawak 17/- ex quay quoted; forward parcels unchanged at 15/4½, c.i.f., afloat, and others April-June shipment 14/9 per cwt. c.i.f. JAPANESE PEAS continue firm and inquired for; 23/6 asked for spot parcels of new crop and 23/- per cwt. c.i.f. afloat. RANGOON BEANS—White hand-picked held for 14/6 on spot and 12/6 c.i.f. forward new crop. Fair inquiry for 10/6 to 10/6 per cwt. c.i.f. for arrival. COPRA—West African sundried sorts valued £29 5/- per ton; little offering. RICE BRAN steady at £6 for afloat Burmah and £6 7/6 to £6 10/- per ton July-December shipments ex ship terms. LOCUST BEANS steady, unchanged at £8 10/- to £8 15/- per ton. Cyprus ex store in bags, and £6 12/6 to £6 15/- per ton c.i.f. for shipment in bulk. OIL CAKES—Linseed descriptions firmly held for American for £10 10/- May-August shipment, c.i.f., and River Plate for £11 7/6 April-May shipment, c.i.f. Egyptian undecorticated cottonseed quoted £7 12/6 ex ship terms April-May shipment. Business somewhat quiet. Liverpool palm kernel feeding stuffs continue at £7 5/- for cakes and £7 10/- per ton crushed and sweetened crushed ex mills.

LINSEED firmer at £20 15/- for River Plate per named steamer afloat. COTTONSEED quiet; Brazilian f.a.q. forward shipment £12 12/6 per ton quoted. PALM KERNELS rather steadier; values £21 3/9 February-April, £21 5/- March-May, £21 2/6 April-June, and £21 per ton May-July shipment. PALM KERNEL OIL—Liverpool makers remain at £41 to £42 for crushed, according to make, and £42 per ton extracted, forward delivery, naked, ex mills. COCOANUT OIL—Ceylon offers sparingly. Forward shipment, c.i.f., to Liverpool £47 per ton value. GROUND NUT OIL—Liverpool deodorised continues in request, and crushers steady at £52 10/- per ton, naked, ex mills. PALM OIL—Values show little quotable change, with no large amount of business. TALLOW quiet, steady for South American descriptions. SEED OILS—Liverpool cottonseed in moderate demand from crushers and prices steady at 45/- common edible and 48/- deodorised, sett naked ex mills. Linseed steady at 49/6 for raw and 51/6 per cwt. boiled on spot in barrels. CASTOR OIL—English descriptions quiet, steady at £66 for pharmacy, £61 firsts, and £60 seconds ex mills Hull; Madras May-June shipment £55 per ten, c.i.f., quoted; Calcutta spot seconds April-May shipment 7d. per lb. asked, ex quay terms Liverpool, in cases; demand slow. RUBBER—Para steady; hard fine spot 19d. to 19½d. per lb. NITRATE OF SODA steady at £13 to £13 5/- per ton, as in quality, in single bags on spot, and in moderate request. CUTCH—Burmah forward shipment 51/- to 56/- per cwt., c.i.f., quoted, as in quality; spot offerings limited. GUM—Niger Arabic descriptions steady, unchanged; some inquiry experienced. GAMBIER—Block on spot without change at 67/6, and forward shipments, c.i.f., 62/6; No. 1 cubes forward 92/6 per cwt. wanted, c.i.f. ROSIN continues very firm, with American on spot quoted 18/- for common, 20/- F, 20/3 G, 23/- N, 25/- WG, and 26/- per cwt. WW. TURPENTINE fully steady at 73/6 per cwt. for American on spot. PETROLEUM oils steady at 1/1 to 1/2 per gallon for spot American refined in barrels. HONEY—30 barrels Chilian on spot sold at 55/6 for pile 2, 53/- pile 3, and 46/- no pile, and 30 barrels Jamaica at 44/6 to 55/- per cwt.

**LONDON.**—SUGAR—No change occurred in spot prices of refined, a moderate amount of business being effected at recent lower levels. Of British, Messrs. Tate and Lyle's cubes quoted 35/- to 36/-; granulated, 31/1½ to 31/7½; June, 31/-; yellow crystals, spot, 32/7½. Czecho granulated, spot, 30/3; ready, 17/1½ f.o.b. Hamburg. White Java, May-June, to London, quoted 17/-; June-July, 16/7½; July-August, 16/6 c.f. and i. terms. Dutch granulated, spot, J quality, sold 30/3; ready, 17/1½ f.o.b. Rotterdam. American granulated, May, 17/6 c.f. and i. U.K. A steamer cargo, Cuban, basis 96 per cent, May, sold 12/6 cf and i U.K. White Terminal market slightly easier, with moderate sales. May, sold, 16/4½, 16/3½; August, 16/10½, 16/9; and buyers, October, 17/-; December, 17/- to 16/10½ per cwt. COFFEE—Spot market closed firm for all the better qualities. Common quiet of sale. COCOA—Only quiet trading in spot parcels at late rates. Accra F/F grade afloat 35/-, June-July 35/6 per cwt. c.i.f. terms. TEA—Private contract market quiet, but all the finer sorts firm in value. Inferior favour buyers. COPRA quietly steady. F.M.S. Straits March-May to Rotterdam sold at £29 12/6, April-June buyers £29 5/-, with other descriptions quoted at proportionate figures. Palm kernels firm, quiet. April-June Liverpool sellers £21 5/-, May-June £21 1/3 per ton. RUBBER dearer, a fair demand being more reservedly met. Standard plantation spot sold 1/9½, 1/9⅜ per lb.; June 1/9¾; July-September 1/8½, 1/9½; October-December 1/7½. To New York. Standard estate sheet, April-May sold 1/9½; May-June 1/9½ to 1/9¾ per lb. c.f. and i. Wild unaltered. SPICE—Pepper markets quiet, unaltered. Muntok May-July quoted 8 15-16d.; August-October 9d. Lampong August-October buyers 4¾d. Zanzibar cloves spot 10¼d. March-May 9¼d., sellers. Tapioca dull, unaltered. Seed Bran May shipment to U.K. sellers 14/10½; May-July 14/9; June-August 14/7½ per cwt. c.f. and i. OILS—Linseed spot quoted 46/-; May 45/-; May-August sold 44/9, to 44/10½, September-December 44/-½ per cwt. OIL SEEDS—Linseed Calcutta April-May sellers at £22 5/-; Plate ditto £20 5/-; Cottonseed—Egyptian black May shipment £12 7/6; white ditto £11 14/-.

**LIVERPOOL WHITE SUGAR TERMINAL MARKET.**—The following are Saturday's "Official Call" prices of the United Sugar Terminal Market Association, Liverpool Branch:—Morning—May, 16/4½ value; August, 16/11½ sellers, 16/10½ buyers; December, 17/- sellers; October-December, 16/10½ sellers; March (1926), 17/1½ value. Tone quietly steady.

**CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR.**—Only two refineries working during week. 2,350 tons melted; new stock 4,006 tons. Tone has been quiet and prices easier at 30/3 for fine granulated, 29/9 ordinary, and 25/- to 27/- for yellows per cwt. Tone quiet. Market closed quietly steady; fair business at yesterday's prices. Greenock sugars now quoted 29/9 to 30/3.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

**LEICESTER WOOL.**—With hosiery manufacturers not well supported with orders for woollen goods and prices inclining to fall the wool market is very quiet, and most buyers are waiting for the London sale to see what the quotations are. The Budget has upset the makers of artificial silk goods and, generally speaking, the hosiery trade in Leicester is rather in the doldrums. Neither home nor shipping business is good, and there seems no particular prospect of them picking up yet.

**LIVERPOOL COTTON.**—American—Trade calling at the opening caused a slight advance in near months, but the market subsequently was featureless. A firm tone, however, ruled at the close, with this season's months showing an advance of two points to one point, but new crop distant months finished one to two points lower on the day. Egyptian advanced in sympathy with higher Alexandria advices. This season's months prices closed 25 to 20 points, and next season's months five points higher. Spot—American steady at six points advance. Peruvian quiet. Upper and Brown 10 points higher; Sakellaridis "F.G.F." and "Good Fair" 50 points; other grades 45 points higher. East Indian unchanged. Brazilian quotations are six points higher.

Glasgow's Annual Musical Festival, which opened at the week-end and continues until May 16, makes a new record in the matter of entries. There are 13,500 competitors, which is a thousand more than last year's total.

# DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORTS.

## SATURDAY.

Wind and Weather (1 p.m.)—W. to W.N.W. wind, moderate breeze, overcast, with passing showers.

Foreign Arrivals—Nil.

Coastwise Arrivals—Slievemore, Slieve Bawn, from Holyhead; Lady Limerick, from Liverpool; Olive, from Glasgow; Culzean, from Heysham—all with goods; Tioga, from Barrow, with motor spirit; Landport, from Yarmouth, with malt; Nancie Thomas, Glen Helen, Finola, Jessie Summerfield, from Garston; Tory Island, from Cardiff; Glenageary, from Partington; Gem, from Newport—all with coals.

Foreign Departures—Nil.

Coastwise Departures—Slievemore, Slieve Bawn, for Holyhead; Lady Martin, for London; Olive, for Glasgow; Culzean, from Heysham; Lady Limerick, for Liverpool and Birkenhead—all with goods; Clarecastle, for London, with potter; Snow Queen, for Derry, with wheat; Olivine, for Newport; Ashfield, Oppir, for Ormeshead; Glencragh, for Irvine; St. Mungo, for Garston—all light.

## SUNDAY.

Wind and Weather (3 p.m.)—E.S.E. wind, fresh breeze, overcast and showery.

Foreign Arrivals—Nil.

Coastwise Arrivals—Lady Louth, from Liverpool; Puma, from Glasgow; Brier, from Heysham; Teviot, from Silloth; Patricia, from Cardiff—all with goods; Sapphire, from Troon; Heatherfield, St. Mungo, from Garston; St. Fintan, St. Aidan, from Glasgow—all with coals; Clarecastle, from Manchester, with empty barrels; Jane, from Clynnog, with crushed granite; Millbay (ketch), from Irvine, with coals; Hamilton, from Donaghadee, light.

Foreign Departures—Lord Antrim, of Belfast, 2,753 tons, for Miramichi and Montreal (via Greenock), light.

Coastwise Departures—The Baron, Finola, for Garston; Emerald, for Glasgow; Nancie Thomas, Glen Helen, for Liverpool; Glencullen, for Partington; Jessie Summerfield, for Lydney; Tory Island, for Barry; Puffin, for Ormeshead; Citrine, for Maryport; Tioga, for Barrow—all light.

## LLOYD'S MAIL NEWS.

CITY OF AGRA, for Dieppe, left Gravesend 2.
CAMERONIA, from New York, arr. the Clyde 3.
COLUMBIA, for New York, left the Clyde 2.
CATHAY, from London, arr. Adelaide 2.
EGORE, from Liverpool, arr. Teneriffe 2.
HOMERIC, from New York, arr. Southampton 2.
MELTONIAN, from Norfolk for Manchester, arrived Liverpool 2.
MAJESTIC, for Southampton, left New York 2.
NEWBY HALL, for Delagoa Bay, left Gravesend 2.
RAPHAEL, for the Plate, left the Clyde 2.
SPECTATOR, for the Red Sea, left the Clyde 2.
SURREY, for Australia, left Manchester 2.
ZEELANDIA, for Amsterdam, left Southampton 3.

## IRISH FAIRS.

CLONES (CO. MONAGHAN).—Held on 30th April. Average sized cattle fair composed chiefly of young shorthorn stores, which were in brisk demand at increased prices. Small show of fat beasts (cows and bulls), which met an improved trade. Small supply of springers and milch cows, which were in better request at higher values. No sheep were offered. Average number of young pigs, which were easily sold at very high figures. Calves—Under six months old, £2 10/- to £3 10/-, average £3. Store Cattle—Over six and not exceeding 12 months—1st class £9 10/- to £11, average £10; 2nd class £8 to £9, average £8 10/-; 3rd class, £6 to £7, average £6 10/-. One-year-old and under two years—1st class £14 to £14 10/-, average £15, live weight average 44/- per cwt.; 2nd class, £11 10/- to £13, average £12, live weight average 43/-; 3rd class £8 5/- to £10 5/-, average £9 15/-, live weight average 40/-. Two years old and under three years—1st class £18 to £20, average £19, live weight average 45/-; 2nd class £15 to £17, average £16, live weight average 44/-; 3rd class, £12 to £13 5/-, average £12 10/-, live weight average 41/-. Three years old and over—1st class £20 to £23, average £21, live weight average 46/-; 2nd class £17 to £19, average £18, live weight average 45/-. Fat Cattle—Cows and Bulls—2nd class £18 to £23, average £22, live weight average 42/6; 3rd class £14 to £16, average £15, live weight average 40/-. Springers (Cows and Heifers)—1st class £25 to £34, average £26; 2nd class £18 to £24, average £20; 3rd class £14 to £16, average £15. Milch Cows (down calved)—1st class £23 to £28, average £24; 2nd class £17 to £21, average £18; 3rd class £12 to £14, average £13. Store Pigs—Over ten weeks and under four months old, 45/- to 60/-, average 50/-.

GOREY.—Held on Saturday, and was one of the largest for many years past. The report, which reached Gorey early on Saturday morning, of an outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease at the other side (afterwards denied), and the holding-up of cattle at the North Wall, had a very depressing effect on the fair, and prices suddenly dropped from £3 to £4 per head. Numbers of farmers took their cattle and sheep home unsold, and business, as a result, was generally dull. Fat cattle, 50/- to 53/- per cwt.; three-year-old heifers and bullocks, £22 to £25; three-year-old store cattle, £19 to £22; two-year-olds, £13 to £17; yearlings, £11 to £13 10/-; small calves, 60/- to 70/-; fat sheep, 110/- to 117/6; spring lambs, 60/-; hoggets, 65/- to 77/6; milch cows and springers, £23 to £26; stripper cows, £10 to £12; fat pigs, 70/-; small pigs, 30/- to 50/-.

RAPHOE.—This important fair was held on Friday. Good prices ruled for best qualities, and springing cows commanded a high figure. There was also a keen demand for small classes of cattle. Beef, best quality, 54/- to 58/- per cwt.; second quality, 50/- to 54/- per cwt. Springing cows, best class, £23 to £29; second class, £19 to £23. Springing heifers, best class, £20 to £25; second class, £15 to £20. Milch cows, best class, £18 to £22 10/-; second class £14 to £18. Dry heifers, £11 to £14 10/-. Weanling calves, £3 10/- to £4 10/-. Newly dropped calves, 20/- to 27/6. Three-year-old bullocks and heifers, £18 to £20. Two-year-olds, £14 10/- to £16. Six-quarter olds, £10 to £11 10/-. Year Olds, £5 15/- to £7. Milcers, best class, £11 to £12 10/-; second class, £8 to £9 10/-. Fat bulls, for beef, best class, £21 to £26; second class, £18 to £21. Fat cows, best class, £17 to £21; second class, £14 to £17. Good fat sheep, £4 5/- to £4 17/6. Fat lambs, £3 to £3 10/-. Mountain or horned sheep, £1 7/6 to £1 12/6. Ewe, with lamb at foot, £5 10/- to £7. Good, strong general farming horses, for all manner of farm work, best class, £15 to £20; second class, £10 to £15. Driving horses, £11 to £19. Heavy horses, best class, £24 to £29 10/-; second class, £15 to £24. Old agricultural horses, £4 to £9 10/-. Jacks, £2 10/- to £4.

BANAGHER.—The Banagher May Day Fair was unusually well supplied with cattle and sheep on Friday. Buyers were numerous and demand all round. Young stock up to one and a half years of age were about 30/- per head better than March prices, but big cattle scarcely realised the prices of last month. Mr. H. Mullen bought two stall-feds from Mr. Martin Kane, Kilmachonc, Banagher, for £55, and said that the price would be about £85/- per cwt. (live-weight). Three-year-old stores, first class, from £18 to £20; second class, from £14 to £17; two-year-olds, from £13 10/- to £16 10/-; second class, from £12 to £15; one year olds, from £10 to £12; between six and nine months, £5 to £7; springers, first class, from £24 to £26; second class, from £14 to £18; good demand. Suck calves, from £3 to £4. Stripper cows, aged, from £8 to £14; bad trade. Fat sheep went from £5 to £6 10/-, and hoggets from £4 to £4 5/-. Mutton went at 1/6 per lb., dead-weight. There was an average supply of sheep, and all were bought. The Pig Fair on Thursday was small, and prices were 15/- per cwt. less than those of March. Best bacon pigs were sold for 63/- per cwt., and coarser kinds for 60/- per cwt. (live-weight). Bonhams went from 35/- to 55/-, according to age and quality.

## TENDERS FOR SHIPS.

### WHY £2,250,000 CONTRACT MAY GO ABROAD.

Mr. Leonard Dewey, Manager of the Blue Star Line, told a Press representative that the order for eight cold storage meat ships, to the total value of £2,250,000, had not yet been placed.

"It is not business to ignore the fact that there is a difference between the lowest British tender and the lowest Continental tender of £150,000," he said.

"In England," added Mr. Dewey, "the men work 48 hours a week, while in Germany this figure is exceeded by 10 hours, with the inevitable result of steadier and cheaper output.

"Of course, we shall do our utmost to place the order in Britain. Where the order will be placed will be known in the next few days."

The *Soviet Union Review* ceased publication last Saturday. It was published weekly by the Information Department of the Trade Delegation of the U.S.S.R., and formerly called *Russian Information and Review*.

## LEGAL NOTICES.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
JOHN TAMS, late of 118 Rathgar road, in the County of Dublin, and of 140 Stephen's Green, in the City of Dublin, Tobacconist.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Chapter 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of or otherwise to have any claims or demands against the estate or assets of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 30th day of March, 1925, are hereby required, on or before the 30th day of May, 1925, to furnish, in writing, the particulars of such claims and demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Administratrix of the said Deceased, to whom Administration has been granted forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice, in Saorstat Eireann, on the 27th April, 1925.

And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 30th day of May, 1925, the said Administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice and particulars have been given as above required.

Dated this 28th day of April, 1925.
ARTHUR COX and COMPANY, Solicitors for the Administratrix, 5 Stephen's Green, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
JOHN WILLIAM SMITH, late of Kilmurray, Tullamore, King's County, Farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of, or otherwise to have any claim or demand against the estate or assets of the said John William Smith, Deceased, who died on the 13th of April, 1924, are required on or before the 11th day of June next, to furnish, in writing, the particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for Mrs. Mary J. Smith, the Administratrix of the Deceased, to whom Administration of the personal estate and effects of the said Deceased has been granted forth of the District Registry at Mullingar, of the High Court of Justice in Saorstat Eireann (Probate), on the 13th day of June, 1924; and, in default thereof, the said Administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above required.

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## LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.

FLORA MARY OLIVIA JELLETT, late of 21 Elgin road, and formerly of Fernhurst, Shrewsbury road, both in the County of Dublin, Spinster, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Flora Mary Olivia Jellett, late of 21 Elgin road, and formerly of Fernhurst, Shrewsbury road, both in the County of Dublin, Spinster, by her Will dated the 19th day of August, 1915, bequeathed the following charitable legacies:—

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| To the Girls' Friendly Society (Central Irish Fund) | £100 0 0 |
| the Girls' Friendly Society Home at Rostrevor | 100 0 0 |
| the Zoological Gardens, Phoenix Park | 100 0 0 |
| the Saint Patrick's Nurses' Home, Stephen's Green | 100 0 0 |
| the Country Air Association, Dublin | 50 0 0 |
| the Bursary Fund of Saint Anne's Parish Church, Dublin | 40 0 0 |

And the said Testatrix appointed her brother Mathew Barrington Jellett, and Herbert Saunderson McClelland, of 10 Ely place, Dublin, Solicitor, to be Executors of her said Will. The said Testatrix died on the 4th day of January, 1925, and her said Will was proved by the said Executors, and Probate thereof granted to them forth of the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, in Saorstat Eireann, on the 13th day of March, 1925.

Dated the 27th day of April, 1925.
BARRINGTON and SON, Solicitors for the said Executors, 10 Ely place, Dublin.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests and all whom it may concern.

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# DUBLIN SPRING SHOW.

## INCREASED ENTRIES: NEW FEATURES.

For the Royal Dublin Society's Spring Show at Ballsbridge on the 13th-16th inst. the total number of entries is 1,829, compared with 1,548 last year.

Aberdeen-Angus entries are much greater than heretofore (120 compared with 50 last year), and dairy cattle also show a remarkable increase. Great advances have been made in dairy stock in recent years, and this year more than thirty additional animals will be brought forward to compete for the Society's Silver Challenge Cup to be won outright by the Cow-Testing Association which exhibits the three best dairy cows. Regarding the native breed—"Kerries"—there is an entry equal to previous years.

In regard to poultry, a number of Cross-channel exhibitors will compete for the first time, their special section to have Mr. Tom Barron as judge and lecturer.

The new Egg-packing and Marketing Competition, for which prizes amounting to £50 have been presented by the Department of Agriculture, has accounted for 58 entries, and 74 cases, each containing 720 eggs, will be exhibited. The cases will be despatched to Liverpool and then "railed" to Manchester where, after being examined by Mr. Bohane, they will be returned by rail to Liverpool, and thence by steamer to the North Wall. They will be carted to Ballsbridge, where two Cross-Channel experts will judge the cases and contents.

Many great engineering firms will be represented in the implements and machinery section, in connection with which there will be a display of hay-drying machinery—the first in Ireland.

Horse-jumping competitions will take place on the Thursday, Friday and Saturday of the Show.

# OLYMPIC CARNIVAL.

## NEEDS OF IRISH HANDBALL ASSOCIATION.

Speaking at the opening on Saturday of the Echoes of Olympic Carnival, which is being held, under the auspices of the Irish Amateur Handball Association, in the Phoenix Gardens, Parkgate street, Dublin, Mr. H. C. Harty, President, expressed the hope that, with public co-operation, they would soon be able to erect a central handball alley in Dublin. The object of the carnival is to provide funds for the promotion and encouragement of the Irish pastime of handball.

The carnival has been organised on a large scale and will continue until May 17. In addition to the usual attractions and sideshows, there is a special display of Irish manufactured goods. The ballroom and ceilidh hall will hold sessions each evening from 8 to 11 p.m. Refreshments are provided in the American lounge and the tea gardens.

The Artane Boys' Band and the St. Laurence O'Toole Pipers' Band played during Saturday afternoon. On Sunday selections were rendered by the Legion of Ex-Service Men's Band and the Civic Guards' Band.

The carnival was well patronised on both days.

# THE WATER-COLOUR SOCIETY.

## ANNUAL EXHIBITION.

To-day the Water Colour Society's exhibition will be added to that of the Royal Hibernian Academy, as ground of interest in Dublin, for people who like to see what our art practitioners are doing, and perhaps to buy examples of their work. The exhibition is the seventy-first held by the Society, and, as usual, it is at Mills's Hall, in Merrion row.

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Some pictures intended for the exhibition, and sent by members resident abroad—including Miss Rose Barton and Miss Mildred Butler—have been "held up" by the Customs, as framed pictures are classed as wooden furniture, and made liable, therefore, to an *ad valorem* duty of 33 1-3 per cent. at the Free State port of entry. The committee has been unable to accept delivery on these terms, and the pictures will go back to the senders.

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Those, however, are only a few out of the whole number of pictures sent in. Almost 250 pictures have been hung, and the standard of other years is well maintained. Landscape, for which the water-colour medium is so appropriate, inevitably has the biggest show. A few flower paintings are worthy of notice, but of portraits and figures the examples, as a rule, do not attract attention, except as they stand out from the prevailing landscapes. Mr. E. D. Corry's "Carnival," however, takes the eye with its adroit use of bright colours. No sign appears of an incipient Burton.

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In landscapes the exhibition contains what one has learned to expect from a number of experienced water-colourists, such as Alexander Williams, Bingham McGuinness, Letitia M. Hamilton, Helen Colvill, Alice M. Boyd, Lady Dobbin, Constance Rochfort, Alexander Colles, H. G. Leask, R. C. Orpen, F. Howard Knee, the Misses Culverwell, Mrs. H. Townsend, J. Crampton Walker, Josephine Carson, Lady Ross of Bladensburg and other members of standing. Mrs. Beatrice Campbell shows only one example of her delicate method.

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The unexpected may be said to consist in the range of pictures shown this year by Mr. Henry W. Moss, who, though always a consistent exhibitor, makes here the best show seen from him for many years. Mr. Lancelot Bayly has also increased both the number and the quality of his exhibits. The contributions of these two artists are the most noteworthy part of the display by old members.

Of work sent in by contributors less known in the Society, those of Lady Wheeler Cuffe are specially welcome. She depicts Burmese scenes.

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The arrangement of the pictures this year is admirable. It makes the exhibition more pleasant and ordered to the eye of the visitor, and probably improves the effect of the pictures.

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Two screens contain matter of special interest. On one is a set of etchings by Gerarde de Witte. The other displays a numerous array of pages from notebooks of the late Nathaniel Hone—jottings of colour and mass effects, studies for formal compositions. Some attention to these could not fail to help the student in method of sketching.

## OILS AND ETCHINGS.

During this week Miss Freda Perrott has an exhibition of her work at her studio, top floor, 19 Kildare street, Dublin. Miss Perrott, whose reputation as an etcher is well established, is also an appreciated painter in oils. Both phases of her work are well represented in this small, but interesting, collection.

Among the oils attention will be attracted to "The Canal, Baggot street" (2), a sound painting in low tones of one of the less known beauty spots in Dublin. Miss Perrott seems to be attracted by such subjects, for we find her again out by the Dodder side (7), catching the play of the sunlight through the trees and on the meadows. The composition and colour treatment of "The Interior" (5) makes a picture that is as cleverly painted as it is pleasant to live with. The touches of the unusual tone of green are art of a high rank.

All the etchings show good, careful, sympathetic work of the right size. Bridges seen from underneath appeal to Miss Perrott. There is a fascinating reproduction (25) of a scene at one of the old bridges in the Ringsend district, and a study of Butt Bridge (26), that, strange as it may seem, makes a beautiful picture. This artist is well known for her etching studies of fowl. "Hens" (15) is an excellent example of her study of nature, and of her skill in this branch of her art. In 21 and 24 the visitor will find sound portraiture in etching.

Mr. Herbert Smith, President of the Miners' Federation, is confined to bed with influenza, and has cancelled all his immediate engagements.

Mr. Henry Allhusen, of Stoke Court, Slough, formerly M.P. for Salisbury and Central Hackney, and High Sheriff of Bucks, died last Saturday.

# DUBLIN'S DIRTY STREETS.

## CLEANSING SYSTEM NOT GOOD ENOUGH.

## DIRECT LABOUR ON ITS METTLE.

The Dublin City Commissioners last Saturday approved of the report of Mr. Murphy on the reorganisation of the work of the Cleansing Department. This stated, with regard to street scavenging, that the service was not nearly as well organised as it might be. The only definite information available in respect of street-sweeping was the weight of house refuse and street slops removed to dumping grounds. The purchase of motor machinery for cleaning, watering, etc., did not appear to have been carried out on any comprehensive plan, and there did not seem to be homogeneity between the various types of machines purchased.

With a view to obtaining information as to methods employed in other places, he visited several of the London metropolitan boroughs and Paris. In the latter place motor haulage was principally used, and in London there was a combination of horse and motor haulage. When the dump was a considerable distance away motors were used, horse haulage being virtually confined to collection where distances between stops were very small.

As a result of his visit partial reorganisation of their system had taken place, with visible improvement resulting, and without extra cost; but he was of the opinion that, with the adoption of more modern methods, better results could be obtained without extra cost. In Paris cleansing and bin-lifting were done by contract, and in several London boroughs contracts were also in force. So far as he was able to ascertain, in the absence of detailed information, the work in Dublin seemed to be more expensive than the corresponding costs in the cities which he had visited. The system of contract at first view seemed difficult to adopt, but he found where it was in force that the conditions of contract allowed almost perfect checking of the work. He had also learned the transition from direct labour to the contract system could be effected without loss to the Corporation or grave hardship on its employés. In some of the London boroughs work seemed to be done better by the contract system.

He requested authority for the preparation of specifications of contract, in order to invite tenders and the publication of advertisements in Irish, English, French and German newspapers, with a view to securing competition amongst contractors accustomed to deal with cleansing work in cities. This would not commit the Commissioners to the contract system, but would be an excellent test as to the economic working of the direct labour system in Dublin, which he thought should not be departed from unless it could be shown that the contract system is much more favourable.

# WHALE IMPALED ON LINER'S BOWS.

## ARRIVAL AT QUEENSTOWN.

A whale, about fifty feet long, was seen to be impaled on the bows of the Canadian Pacific liner Montrose when the vessel put into Queenstown last Saturday morning from Liverpool to embark passengers for Quebec and Montreal.

When the liner slowed down to drop anchor the whale dropped off, and no trace of it was seen afterwards. It is not known when the whale was struck, and no shock was felt by those on board.

# ALTERING ANNESLEY BRIDGE.

## SCOTTISH FIRM'S TENDER.

At a meeting of the Commissioners of the Borough of Dublin last Saturday the following tenders for the reconstruction of Annesley Bridge were received:—Orr, Watt and Company, Ltd., Lancashire Bridge Works, Motherwell, Glasgow, £12,542 4s. 9d.; McNally and Company, Dublin, £15,643 11s. 2d.; H. and T. Martin, Ltd., Dublin, £16,418 12s. 10d.; J. and W. Stewart, Dublin, £16,983; McLaughlin and Harvey, Ltd., Dublin, £18,022; John Kenny and Sons, Dublin, £34,083.

On the recommendation of the Acting Borough Surveyor the tender of Messrs. Orr, Watt and Co., Ltd., was accepted, and the period for the completion of the contract was extended from six to ten months.

The present stone bridge was constructed in 1796-97 at a cost of about £6,000, and has a carriage-way of twenty-eight feet, with the footpaths of six feet six inches on each side.

The type of bridge for which the tender was accepted is a three-span concrete and steel structure, with a carriage-way of fifty-eight feet eight inches, and a footpath ten feet seven inches wide at each side.

The Secretary of Local Government and Public Health wrote enclosing a copy of a communication addressed to the Minister by Mr. P. Tobin, objecting to the amount of superannuation awarded to him by the Commissioners, on the ground that it was inadequate, and not calculated on as favourable a basis as the pensions awarded to other retired officials who held analagous positions.

Mr. Seamus Murphy (Commissioner), in his report, which dealt with the reorganisation of the secretarial staff and the recommendation of the superannuation, stated that the reorganisation would be facilitated by the retirement of Mr. Tobin, who was sixty-two years of age and who had nearly twenty-two years' of continuous service. He was appointed Secretary to the Paving and Improvements Committee, and Registrar under the Motor Car Acts; and, since 1921, as the Town Clerk's deputy, he had been responsible for the secretarial work of the Streets section. A pension of £358 7s. 5d. per annum was recommended, his total amount of remuneration at present being £750 18s. 0d.

The Commissioners decided that the considerations put forward by Mr. Tobin were not of a nature to warrant any departure on their part from the decision already arrived at.

# NO. 1 ARMY BAND.

## CONCERT IN PHOENIX PARK.

Under the conductorship of Colonel Fritz Brase, the No. 1 National Army Band gave a public performance yesterday afternoon in the Phoenix Park. Although the weather was very bleak and uninviting the audience in "The Hollow" numbered many thousands, and as the evening proceeded it became more and more numerous until the slopes of this beautiful natural amphitheatre and all points of vantage were filled. The number of motor cars parked on the surrounding roads was a noticeable feature.

The programme provided by the band was somewhat in the nature of an experiment, the whole standard being what one associates with the concert platform rather than with band performances in the open. For instance, the opening item, Bach's Great Choral and Fugue in G minor, might be said to be distinctly for indoor performance, and yet under the treatment of Colonel Fritz Brase it appeared to be eminently suitable for the open air. "The Dance of the Seven Veils," from Strauss's "Salome," was another severe test. The version played on this occasion ranks amongst the most difficult set for military bands. It demands expert technical skill on the part of every performer. It was creditably rendered. Wagner supplied a couple of contributions in the Overture from "The Flying Dutchman" and the Grand Fantasia from "Siegfried." The former was delightful, the storm effect being very realistic. Jupiter, from the Suite of Planets, by Gustav Holst, and Festival of Bagdad, from Rimsky Korsakov's "Scheherazade Suite," were also excellently done. By way of relief from the heavier class of music, the band played the "Irish Fantasia No. 3," (which is Colonel Fritz Brase's own arrangement—some of the movements in this were perfect—and Walton O'Donnell's "Songs of the Gael," an excellent fantasia of the less hackneyed Irish airs. At the close of the performance the conductor and the band were vigorously applauded.

The Anglo-Catholic Pilgrimage, which numbers 220, has arrived at Alexandria, and is leaving for Jaffa to-day.

# IRISH LIVE STOCK PRICES AT A GLANCE.

Appended is a table of prices obtained at certain Irish fairs and Dublin Cattle Market last week. It is compiled by our Agricultural Correspondent for the purpose of showing how values compare at different centres:—

| Market or Fair. | Store Cattle per Cwt. Live Weight. | Fat Cattle per Cwt. Live Weight. | Springers, per Head. | Milch Cows, per Head. | Fat Sheep, per Head. | Lambs, per Head. |
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| Dublin ... | 50/- to 51/6 | 50/0 to 64/6 | £26 to £38 | £20 to £32 | 90/- to 140/- | 55/- to 60/- |
| Belfast ... | 40/- to 52/- | 43/- to 64/6 | — | — | 75/- to 126/- | 65/- to 107/- |
| Banbridge ... | 50/- to 58/- | 45/- to 58/- | £15 to £33 | £14 to £19 | 60/- to 90/- | — |
| Mitchelstown... | 36/- to 47/- | — | £14 to £20 | — | 90/- to 110/- | — |
| Roscommon ... | 42/- to 47/- | 40/- to 48/- | £20 to £34 | £17 to £29 | 65/- to 147/6 | 20/- to 36/- |
| Killylea (Co. Armagh) | 45/- to 50/- | 47/- to 55/- | £17 to £32 | £16 to £33 | 60/- to 95/- | — |
| Limerick ... | 36/- to 47/- | 39/- to 43/- | £14 to £29 | — | 100/- to 120/- | — |
| Navan ... | 45/- to 53/- | 46/- to 55/- | £17 to £23 | £16 to £26 | 90/- to 150/- | 60/- to 75/- |
| Ballymena ... | 48/6 to 50/- | 50/- to 52/6 | £15 to £35 | £13 to £30 | — | — |
| Castlepollard... | 47/- to 51/- | 35/- | £18 to £28 | £16 to £27 | 80/- to 110/- | 45/- to 65/- |
| Wicklow ... | 46/- to 50/- | — | £16 to £24 | £15 to £25 | 80/- to 100/- | 40/- to 50/- |

# UNARMED GUARDS

## PUT TWO ARMED MEN TO FLIGHT.

Denis Leyden and Thomas Minogue were returned for trial at Killaloe District Court last Saturday on a charge of attempted murder.

It was stated that on May 26th, 1923, Civic Guards Mulroy and Donnellan were stopped at O'Callaghan's Bridge by two armed men, who ordered them to surrender their bicycles, uniforms and notebooks. Despite threats, Guard Mulroy grappled with one of his assailants, and tried to wrest the revolver from him. He was gaining the upper hand when the other man fired a shotgun and wounded him in the back, and followed this up by striking him on the head with the butt of the gun. Guard Donnellan joined in the fight, and finally the attackers fled, leaving the revolver and the barrel of the gun behind them.

Both Guards identified Leyden and Minogue as their assailants.

It was further stated that a month after the attack Leyden was arrested, and, after being brought before a form of court martial, was interned for thirteen months. Both men were arrested on the 6th ult.

Mr. M. Tynan, solicitor, contended that as Leyden had been tried by a court martial he could not now be tried by a civil court.

District Justice Gleeson said that if Leyden had been tried by a properly constituted court martial at that time, he would have been liable to execution.

Superintendent Mooney said that no official note of the court martial proceedings was in his possession. Until his authorities had issued instructions to him he could not arrest the accused as he did not know how the general amnesty affected their position.

The District Justice remarked that the general amnesty was simply an act of the Executive Council, and had not the force of a statute.

The prisoner, Leyden, said the officer at the court martial was "Bill Mac." He did not remember that any sentence had been imposed upon him.

Returning the prisoners for trial, the District Justice said that, in view of the fact that they had been at their homes for a considerable time, he would admit them to bail—£50 each and two solvent sureties of £250. The bail was not forthcoming at the rising of the court, and the prisoners were removed in custody.

# CLARKE ESTATE.

## DIVISION OF 1,600 ACRES.

The following, says our Clonmel Correspondent, is the outline of the division recently made of the Clarke estate, near Holycross. About 1,600 acres has been divided between the following:—

1. Labourers who worked on the estate, and who lost employment through the sale of the property, have got farms ranging from 25 to 30 acres, according to the quality of the land.

2. Small landholders have got extensions, thereby making their farms economic holdings. The extensions, as far as possible, have been given to small farmers living in the parish and its immediate neighbourhood.

3. A very large portion of the property has been divided between ex-National Army men. There is much disappointment that people living in the village of Holycross—some seven or eight—have got no land, though they live on the very boundary of the property, and, with the exception of two, are landless.

# CATHOLIC TRUTH SOCIETY.

## SPECIAL APPEALS IN CORK.

Special sermons were preached in all the Roman Catholic Churches in Cork City, yesterday, urging support for the propaganda of the Catholic Truth Society. The preachers referred to the many dangers that surround people with strong faith. These dangers were the more insidious by reason of the subtlety of their attack. The sale of literature derogatory to faith and morals and the exhibition of certain "bad kinematographs" were cited, and it was urged that a thoroughly Catholic spirit should pervade all social, industrial, and commercial life in Ireland. This could be best insured by joining the Catholic Truth Society.

# NORTHERN POST OFFICE OFFICIALS.

## DEMANDS FOR REMEDY OF GRIEVANCES.

The annual conference of the Northern Ireland Post Office Clerks' Association was resumed in the Ulster Minor Hall, Belfast, on Saturday. The President (Councillor F. J. Hughes, Armagh) was in the chair.

Resolutions were passed urging that all summer leave should be given between May and September, inclusive, and demanding that in cases of appeal against punishment for alleged dereliction of duty the officers concerned should have the right of access to all evidence on which the decision to inflict punishment was based. Mr. Willis, Belfast, speaking on the subject, said that the practice of secret reporting of officials in the Post Office was a greater and more widespread scandal than was generally known.

Other resolutions demanded a working day of seven hours, inclusive of "meal relief"; the application of the Superannuation Act, 1909, to female officers; the abolition of all Sunday mail despatches, and the extension of full civil rights to Post Office officials.

The results of the ballot for the election of office-bearers were:—Messrs. F. J. Hughes, President; R. M'Connell, Hon. General Secretary; J. J. O'Rourke, Hon. Treasurer; G. J. Parks, Hon. Organising Secretary; R. I. Cassidy, Secretary to Editing Committee (all re-elected). Executive Committee—Messrs. S. R. Willis, Belfast Postal; E. O'Connor, Belfast Telegraphs; G. J. Kerr, Belfast Telephones; H. Gault, Dungannon; R. P. Thornton, Omagh; G. Boyle, Londonderry; W. A. Hayes, Portadown; G. M'Cabey, Enniskillen; and M. M'Menamin, Banbridge.

It was decided to hold the next conference in Belfast.

# APPEAL COMMISSIONER THANKED.

At the Cork Appeal Court on Saturday, Mr. George J. Daly, at the request of the Bar, expressed to Mr. Commissioner Doyle the obligation which the members of the Bar were under to him during the sittings of the Winding-up Court, and for the courtesy shown to them.

The sitting, he said, had been a very notable one indeed, and had been remarkable for the patience and care with which he had dealt with the very large list of cases.

Mr. Maurice O'Connor, State Solicitor, on behalf of the solicitors' profession, supported Mr. Daly's remarks.

His Lordship expressed his thanks to Mr. O'Connor and Mr. Daly. He said that in all the cases which he had dealt with he had the very greatest assistance—he could not have gone on at all without it—from all the legal gentlemen, both barristers and solicitors, who appeared before him.

Princess Mary Viscountess Lascelles has presented a signed photograph of herself with her two children to the Infants' Hospital, Vincent square, Westminster, of which she is President.

# OBITUARY.

## MR. JAMES C. R. LARDNER, K.C.

The announcement of the death of Mr. James C. R. Lardner, K.C., will come with sad surprise to his numerous friends, particularly to members of the Bar and the Bench in Dublin, as well as in Northern Ireland. Mr. Lardner was one of the leading members of the Irish Bar, and a lawyer of great ability. He had been absent from the Dublin Courts for about two months, during which time he was staying at Bournemouth. He died there yesterday morning in a nursing home, where he had undergone two serious surgical operations within the past two weeks.

Mr. Lardner was a comparatively young man, whose career, both as a politician and a lawyer, was remarkably successful. He was born at the Diamond, Monaghan, in 1878, and was the first to win an exhibition under the Education Endowments Act, 1885. From the local Christian Brothers' School he proceeded to St. Macartan's Seminary, and thence to Clongowes Wood College. On leaving college he was apprenticed to Mr. D. C. Rushe, solicitor, Monaghan, and when he was admitted to the ranks of the solicitors' profession he had but a few years to wait when, on the appointment of Mr. Rushe, his relative, as Clerk to the Monaghan County Council in 1900, he took over Mr. Rushe's practice.

In June, 1907, Mr. Lardner was elected Nationalist member of Parliament for the North Monaghan constituency. He retained the seat until the General Election of 1918, when he declined to be re-nominated. While he was a member of the Redmondite Party he was an ardent advocate of unity and harmony between all classes in the North and South.

Mr. Lardner was called to the Irish Bar in Michaelmas Term, 1913, and almost at once became a leader among the juniors. Business flowed steadily towards him, and he made a special study of bankruptcy law and practice. He took "silk" a few years ago and since then he was engaged in many cases of importance in the courts. He was a Bencher of the King's Inns and a member of the English Bar. For a couple of years past Mr. Lardner was on the Board of Directors of the Dublin and South-Eastern Railway Co. He was a member of the tribunal that investigated the question of amalgamation of the Free State railways before the Act was passed. He acted as arbitrator in various trade disputes, which he settled satisfactorily. In 1920 Mr. Lardner married Rita, daughter of Sir Joseph Downes, and he had two children, who survive him.

## MR. MILO JUDD.

The death is announced of Mr. Milo Judd, son of Mr. M. F. Judd, Peace Commissioner, Gortleitragh, Kingstown.

The late Mr. Judd had reached only his twenty-sixth year, and his early death will be deeply regretted by his former fellow-students of Belvedere College and Dublin University and by the many friends of the family in Dublin city and county. At Belvedere College he took a leading part in the social and athletic side of school life and organised the Belvedere Rugby Club, which has since achieved numerous successes in the playing fields. He graduated at Trinity College and later became a Fellow of the Auctioneers' Institute after an examination in which he secured second place. He was associated with Messrs. Battersby and Co., auctioneers, for some time, and in his leisure moments was prominently identified with the activities of the Dublin Swimming Club. In business and in social circles he had many friends, and the news of his death at such an early age will be received with much sorrow.

# DETERMINED WOMAN.

## CLAIM TO A CO. WESTMEATH FARM.

When Miss Riggs, of Collinstown, was summoned at Mullingar District Court on Saturday by Captain Lyster Smythe, of Barbavilla, for having obstructed the putting out of cattle on his lands it was stated that she had broken a lock off a gate with a hatchet and that cattle had been driven from the field.

The defendant refused to give an undertaking not to repeat the offence. She said that her father was evicted from the farm in dispute in 1882. "No cattle belonging to the Smythes will go on that land," she said, "and I will not give an undertaking not to repeat what I have done."

The District Justice said that in that case he would bind her to the peace, though he would prefer not to have to do so. She would be fined £1 for the offence and 5s. compensation. He then named the bond at £5.

The Defendant—It does not matter about any bond. If the Smythe's cattle are put on these lands the lock will go the very same.

The Justice pointed out that her attitude might land Miss Riggs in jail, a thing he would not like.

Defendant—Oh, well, if that comes it cannot be helped. It is my home and has been in our family for five generations.

# ILLEGAL BETTING AT BRAY.

## "PREVALENT TO AN ALARMING DEGREE."

Superintendent Walsh, at Bray District Court on Saturday, said that the practice of illegal betting was becoming prevalent to an alarming degree in Bray. The Superintendent was prosecuting two men for breaches of the Betting Acts. He added that there was a local sporting fraternity who, when not taking bets in the security of an office, stood about the street corners and took from people money that should be devoted to their homes.

The District Justice (Mr. Price) fined one of the men—named Farrell—£5 and costs. He dismissed charges against a number of men who were found on Farrell's premises.

Mr. Fagan, solicitor for the defence, asked that books and documents, together with a sum of money, taken by the Civic Guards, should be returned. He pleaded that if the books, etc., were destroyed, claims might be made against Farrell.

Superintendent Walsh said that if punters were not paid it might be an inducement to them to devote their money to some other purpose than betting.

Mr. Price said that he would leave the matter to the discretion of Superintendent Walsh.

# COMMEMORATION OF 1916.

A Requiem Mass for the repose of the souls of the men who died in the insurrection of 1916 will be held in the Garrison Church, Arbour Hill, Dublin, at 10 o'clock this morning. A commemoration ceremony will take place at the graves in the barrack grounds immediately afterwards. The barracks will be open from 12 noon till 4 o'clock p.m. to-day, and any members of the general public who wish to visit the graves of those who were executed in Easter Week, 1916, will be at liberty to do so.

# MOTORISTS' TRIPTYQUES.

In anticipation of the effect of the Budget proposals to re-introduce the Customs duty of 33⅓ per cent. on imported motor cars and motor cycles, the Automobile Association is now actively preparing for the issue of triptyques to foreign and Colonial motorists who will be bringing their vehicles into Great Britain and Northern Ireland for touring this summer.

# MILITARY LORRIES WITHOUT LAMPS.

## SEVERE COMMENTS BY JUSTICE.

When Private John Murphy, National Army, was summoned at Donegal District Court last Saturday for driving a tender without either a front or rear lamp, an officer gave evidence that no lamp had been supplied to the defendant, and that the military authorities had declined to issue lamps to some of the tenders until other lamps stolen from those lorries had been accounted for.

District Justice O'Hanrahan—That is certainly a public scandal. What is to become of the administration of law and the protection of the public from danger on the roads? I will not allow official red tape to prevent the operation of the law.

As defendant was not personally to blame, the Justice went on, he would be fined only the nominal sum of a shilling and costs; but the military authorities were to be informed that this scandal must cease at once, and that the law must be respected by them.

There was another matter to which he would also direct the attention of the military authorities, and that was "the shameful abuse of their rights on the highway by the drivers of military lorries." He did not attach much importance to the legal speed limit, which he thought unsuitable for the open country, but he objected most strongly to military drivers failing to respect the rights of others on the roads.

Depending on the superior weight, size and power of their lorries to frighten all other users off the roads, those military drivers often travelled at fifty miles an hour without slowing down at a turning, or giving half the road to others. They drove other motorists into the fence or made them fly for their lives. That was a shameful abuse.

The tourist season was now opening, and he hoped that the bad impression at present prevailing would be speedily removed. If it were not, he promised that he would certainly send to jail any member of the Army, officer or private, whom he convicted of negligent driving of the sort to which he had just referred; and he would recommend for special promotion any member of the Civic Guard who succeeded in convicting a soldier before him of this offence. He requested the officer to convey this news to his authorities.

The officer promised that he would do so.

# ILLEGAL FISHING.

## MORE NETS SEIZED AT CORK.

At last Saturday's meeting of the Cork Board of Fishery Conservators, Mr. W. J. Deasy presiding, the Secretary's weekly report stated that constant patrol had been kept on the river, and that the bailiffs had seized the following illegal nets—Cork, 17; Blackrock, 18; Passage and Carrigaloe, 3; and one small trout net fixed from a barge to Ford's quay wall, making a total of 39 since the last meeting, and for the season 237 seized by the bailiffs, and 17 by the Civic Guards—in all 254 nets. Six sets of strokehauls and one gaff were found at the Waterworks, Cork. The Civic Guards reported catching two men at Albert Quay with a strokehaul, and also catching a man who dropped a bag containing an illegal net and a salmon.

# "FOOT-AND-MOUTH" FEARS GROUNDLESS.

## RESTRICTIONS ON BELFAST SHIPMENT REMOVED.

As had been reported, an animal shipped from Belfast on the night of April 30th was detained on arrival at Fleetwood on suspicion of having contracted foot-and-mouth disease. The Imperial Secretary's Department now states that it has received official information from the Ministry of Agriculture, London, that the suspicion has proved groundless, and that the temporary restrictions imposed on the shipment of livestock on the night of May 1st have been cancelled.

# IRISH INDUSTRIES.

## DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION'S WORK.

Colonel Sir Nugent T. Everard, Bart., presided at the monthly meeting of the Irish Industrial Development Association (Incorporated), which was held at Grafton Chambers, Dublin.

The President, Irish Flour Millers' Association (Mr. Reginald Goodbody, Clara), was co-opted to the seat rendered vacant by the death of Mr. John Brown.

The use of the word "shamrock" as a trade mark on certain imported goods now being advertised and distributed throughout the country by the Dublin branch of a London registered firm was considered, and instructions were issued to take the necessary proceedings to prevent its continuance.

The Dublin Industrial Association informed the Council of their intention to repeat the successful Irish Industrial Pageant of last year during the forthcoming Horse Show week, and also to make a special appeal to manufacturers and shopkeepers to avail themselves of the occasion to bring Irish manufactures prominently before the public by means of all-window displays, advertising campaigns, etc. The Council appointed three of its members to serve upon the special committee in charge of the Pageant.

# RAILWAY AMALGAMATION.

## RESIGNATION OF CORK OFFICIALS.

As a result of the railway amalgamation, the following officials of the Cork railway companies have resigned:—

Cork, Bandon and South Coast Railway—Mr. R. H. Leslie, Secretary, and Mr. James M. Johnstone, Locomotive Engineer.

Cork and Macroom—Messrs. J. J. Barry, Manager and Secretary; W. Gadd, Locomotive Engineer, and R. Evans.

Cork, Blackrock and Passage—Messrs. R. J. Coppinger, Secretary; R. H. Good, Manager and Engineer; James Inman, Marine Engineer.

Mr. T. O'Connor, General Manager of the Muskerry Railway, is expected to retire shortly.

# EX-RATE COLLECTOR CHARGED.

At Carrick-on-Shannon District Court on Saturday, Charles Pinkman, ex-rate collector, who had served as an officer in the Free State Army, was charged with having embezzled £33 12s. 9d., the property of the Leitrim County Council, in March, 1922. He was alternatively charged with larceny. The defendant was arrested by the Royal Ulster Constabulary at Enniskillen on the 16th ult.

After three witnesses had been examined, the case was adjourned for a week for the production of documents. The defendant was allowed out on bail.

# DATE CHANGED ON LICENCE.

By means of a trick Michael Roach, of Mulgrave road, Waterford, was enabled to carry on as a motor driver for twelve months without paying for a licence.

It was related at Waterford District Court last Saturday that Roach took out a licence in 1923, and when he applied for a renewal this year it was discovered that he had altered the date, making it operative for 1924.

Roach said he had no time to get a renewal of the licence.

The District Justice remarked it must have taken considerable time to make the very artistic alterations which he observed in the licence. Roach was fined £1 and costs.

# ILLNESS ON BRITISH STEAMER.

Further information was received on Tyneside yesterday regarding the outbreak of disease among the crew of the London steamer Riberia. It was reported last Thursday that the vessel was calling for assistance, but it is now explained that the request was for medical assistance. The word medical, however, was somehow omitted during transmission, thus giving rise to alarming reports. Mrs. Wickman, wife of the captain, yesterday received a cable from her husband stating that the vessel has arrived at Colombo, and that the chief engineer, second engineer, and himself were all right.


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# MUSIC AND THE BOUNDARY.

## MR. O'MARA AT DERRY FEIS.

Mr. Joseph O'Mara discussed the boundary problem when responding to a vote of thanks (proposed by the Rev. J. L. McGettigan), at the conclusion of the Derry Feis.

Music, he said, knew no country, no politics, no religion. The Irish nation was particularly fortunate in having a wealth of melody unequalled by any other country in the world. (Applause.) The late Sir Hubert Parry said that there was no more beautiful melody in the world than the Londonderry air. (Applause.)

Mr. O'Mara went on to express the hope that through the influence of music, and, if he might add, through the influence of the Derry Feis, they would be able to bring their country together—the North and South. They had only to get over a little prejudice here and a little prejudice there, and he thought that through the art of music they ought to be able to bridge the gap.

At one time the Catholic of Derry was rather shy of coming on a public platform, shy of opening his mouth, but all that had been altered. To-day they had Catholics holding unique positions in the city of Derry, unashamed to look their fellow-men in the face, and showing what the North of Ireland and what Derry can do in music. (Applause.)

The concluding day's results were:—

Pianoforte Duet (for students under 17 years)—1, Miss Phyllis Adair and Miss Olga Frew.

Junior Jig (for children under 14)—1, Miss Nan Mullin, 82 Strabane Old road, Derry (98); 2, a tie between Miss May Murray, Wellington street, Derry, and Miss Sadie Duffy, Beechwood street, Derry (97 marks each); 3, Miss Winnie Duffy, 3 Brook street, Derry, Miss Annie Craig, Lone Moor road, Derry, and Miss Dolly Flannery, De Burg terrace, Derry (96 marks each).

Bass Solo—1, Alex. Donnelly, Derry (87); 2, D. Casey, West End Park (85); 3, J. R. Murphy, Munster and Leinster Bank, Derry (81).

Traditional Irish Singing (competitors to select two songs in the Irish language)—1, Mrs. Carney, 4 Chamberlain street, Derry (89).

Tenor Solo—1, John Martin, Inishowen House, Buncrana (90); 2, Leo McCormick, Francis street, Derry (88); 3, A. Sweeney, Simpson's Brae, Derry (85).

Slip Jig—1, Rose Doherty, Rosville street, Derry (98); 2, Miss Sadie Duffy, Beechwood street, Derry (97); 3, Miss Kathleen Breslin, Castle Gate, Derry, and Miss A. Craig, Lone Moor road, Derry (tied with 96 marks each).

Fancy Reel—1, the Misses Alma Power, Annie Craig, Patty Nicoll, Kathleen Carey, Edith Hanlon and Rose Grant, Derry.

Interpretation Competition (competitors to sing one Anglo-Irish song and one in the Irish language)—1, Edward Mount, Moville (95); 2, Miss Kathleen McGovern, Omagh (94); 3, Miss Maura McCloskey, Derry (90).

Church Choirs (excluding city choirs)—1, Buncrana Church Choir (86).

Male Quartet—1, The Bohemian Quartet (Messrs. Daniel Leavy, Anthony Johnston, Alex. Donnelly and William J. McDaid, Derry (91); 2, the Aspirants Quartet (Messrs. John McCabe, William G. O'Doherty, T. Sweeney and Leo Hutton), Derry (87); 3, the Olamhs Quartet (Messrs. L. Hamill, L. Duffy, P. Gillespie and T. Foley), (83).

Three-hand Reel—1, the Misses Kathleen Morrison, Kathleen Boyle and Agnes McFadden (92).

Male Choir—1, the Doire Choir, Derry (100).

Ladies' Choir—1, the Grianan Choir (94); 2, the Doire Choir (93).

# MOTORING OFFENCES.

In the Dublin District Court, before Mr. Cussen, last Saturday, Robert Hanratty, mechanic, Rutland square, was fined £3 on a charge of driving a motor car in a manner dangerous to the public at Lower Sackville street on Thursday evening last. William Harvey, commercial traveller, Templemore avenue, Rathgar, was fined £3 for a similar offence at Ranelagh road on Friday last.

# "THE TIME OF DELIVERANCE."

"The Time of Deliverance," was the theme of a lecture delivered last evening by Mr. C. R. Coombs, at Lincoln Chambers, Dublin. The speaker said that God placed man upon earth amid conditions conducive to perfect happiness, marred by neither sickness nor sorrow. His arrangement was that men should mutually enjoy the blessings of earth. The entrance of sin and selfishness caused men to take advantage of each other, this producing these devastating woes.

The lecturer proceeded to argue that recent and present world events, including the Jewish activity in connection with Palestine, were fulfilling Bible prophecy, clearly indicating that the time of deliverance has come.

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All pipes and fittings will be supplied by the Council to the Contractor at Clifden Station or Pier.
Plans and Specifications can be inspected at the Clerk's Office, Clifden, on any week day during the usual Office hours, also at the Offices of the Engineer, P. H. McCarthy, M.A., B.A.I., M.I.C.E.I., 26 Lower Leeson street, Dublin.
Copies of the Schedule of Quantities, with Forms of Tender, can be obtained at the Office of the undersigned, or at the Office of the Engineer, on payment of Two Guineas, which will be returned on receipt of bona fide Tender.
Tenders, with fully priced Bills of Quantities, endorsed "Tender for Laying Water Mains," to be delivered in sealed envelope at the Office of the undersigned not later than 10 o'clock on Wednesday, the 27th day of May, 1925.
The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted, and the Council will not be responsible for any expenses incurred by Contractors tendering.
Tenders to be filled in on the prescribed Form, and to give the names of two solvent sureties willing to be bound jointly and severally with the Contractor in the sum of £2,000 for the due performance of the Contract.
F. KING, Clerk, Clifden Rural District Council, Clifden, Co. Galway.

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Tenders are invited for the Building of an ASSEMBLY HALL and RECREATION ROOMS, in DUNDALK DEMESNE, for the Committee of St. Patrick's Total Abstinence Society.
Quantities can be obtained on application to Messrs. Morris and Kavanagh, Quantity Surveyors, 68 Harcourt street, Dublin, on payment of a deposit of £3 3/-, returnable on receipt of a bona-fide Tender.
Plans and specification can be inspected at the Office of the Architect, during office hours.
Sealed and endorsed Tenders to be addressed to Very Rev. C. Hurson, Adm., Dundalk, to be delivered not later than 4 p.m. on Thursday, 21st May, inst.
The lowest or any Tender will not necessarily be accepted.
JOHN F. McGAHON, M.R.I.A.I., Architect.
Exchange Buildings, Dundalk, 1/5/25.


ADVERTISEMENTS.

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PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL.
6.45 .......... TWICE NIGHTLY .......... 9.0.
FIRTH SHEPHARD, LTD.,
PRESENT THE GREAT COMEDIAN,
GEORGE CARNEY
IN A NEW REVUE,
THE
HONEYMOON GIRL.
Brilliant Cast includes:
RALPH CARTER, BILLY REX, SIBYL JARRETT,
REGINALD ANDREWS,
DAISY MAY, EDIE KING, BOBBIE BRADLEY,
BARBARA BABINGTON.
FULL CHORUS OF HONEYMOON GIRLS.

THEATRE ROYAL, DUBLIN.
LEGGETT BYRNE MATINEE,
SATURDAY, MAY 30th, AT 2.30 P.M.
PROGRAMME.
1. "THE ROSE GARDEN OF ENCHANTMENT."
Introducing a beautiful Ballet of Roses and many other Dances.
2. "THE GYPSIES' DEFEAT."
Dances by Dolls, Wooden Soldiers, Gypsies, Fairies, Fireflies, Sparks, Forest Fairies, etc., etc.
3. A SHORT SKETCH, ENTITLED
"GROWN-UPS MAY LISTEN-IN."
4. "SHEPHERD'S IDYLL."
A charming classical Fantasy.
SOLO DANCES BY
MISS BEATRICE LEGGETT BYRNE,
Member of the Association of Operatic Dancing of Great Britain.
The entire Programme of Ballets, Solo Dances, etc., will be carried out by Pupils, from 3 to 14 years of age.
BOOKING NOW at 27 ADELAIDE ROAD.

THE PAVILION,
DUN LAOGHAIRE. 3.30 to 10.15.
JOHN GILBERT,
One of the Screen's Most Brilliant Actors, in
"CAMEO KIRBY."
A DRAMATIC ROMANCE OF BYGONE DAYS.
At 3.50, 6.20, & 8.50, New Comedies, Pictorial, &c.

LA SCALA THEATRE.
TO-DAY .......... 3-10.30 ..........CONTINUOUS.
JACQUELINE LOGAN and ANTONIO MORENO
IN
"FLAMING BARRIERS."
ALSO
"EINSTEIN'S THEORY OF RELATIVITY."
FULL SUPPORTING PROGRAMME.

FEIS CEOIL, 1925.
TO-DAY.
IN METROPOLITAN HALL.
Contralto (38), 10.30-1.30. Plunket Greene Cup (68), 3-5.30 and 7.30-10.
IN ABBEY LECTURE HALL.
Special Junior Piano (44), 10.30-1.30 and 3-5.30.
IN SCOTCH CHURCH HALL.
Junior Violin (27), 10.30-1.30. Harp (1), Viola (4), Junior 'Cello (12), 3-5.30.
Admission, 2/-; Competition Season Ticket, 10/6.
PRIZE-WINNERS' CONCERT,
SATURDAY, 2 p.m.,
THEATRE ROYAL.
Parterre, 3/-; Upper Circle, 2/4; Gallery, 1/3.
Booking at Theatre Box Office.

ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY.
SPRING SHOW,
BALLSBRIDGE, DUBLIN.
MAY 13, 14, 15, and 16.
RECORD ENTRIES.
IMPLEMENT AND MACHINERY DISPLAY, UNEQUALLED IN SOCIETY'S HISTORY.
SEE THE LATEST
HAY DRYING MACHINERY,
ALSO ROTOTILLER
IN OPERATION. FINEST SHOW OF UTILITY POULTRY EVER BROUGHT TOGETHER IN IRELAND.
BUTTER-MAKING COMPETITIONS.
JUDGES' LECTURES AND DEMONSTRATIONS.
GREAT EDUCATIONAL EXHIBIT BY DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.
HORSE JUMPING COMPETITIONS
ON THURSDAY, FRIDAY, and SATURDAY.
Admission (including Jumping Enclosure)—First, Second, and Third Days, 2/6; Saturday, 1/-. Children Half Price each day.
EXCURSIONS AND CHEAP BOOKINGS FROM ALL PARTS.
Full Programme may be had post free on application to the Director, Show Yard, Ballsbridge, Dublin.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

FRIENDS' FOREIGN MISSIONS.
ANNUAL MEETING,
TO-DAY (MONDAY), MAY 4th, 7 p.m.,
AT EUSTACE STREET.
SHORAN S. SINGHA, B.A.,
HARRY T. SILCOCK, M.A.,
On
"SOLVING THE RACE PROBLEM."
Public cordially invited.

THE
ADELAIDE HOSPITAL
(INCORPORATED),
DUBLIN.
THE 67th ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
Will be held in the
BOARD ROOM OF THE HOSPITAL
On WEDNESDAY NEXT, 6th MAY, at 4 o'clock.
Speaker:
The Very Rev. the DEAN OF ST. PATRICK'S.
The Meeting will be OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

SOUTH OF IRELAND CONVENTION
FOR THE DEEPENING OF SPIRITUAL LIFE.
GREYSTONES, MAY 18th to 22nd, 1925.
Speakers:—Revs. Charles Inwood, W. W. Martin, D. Davies, and Dr. Northcote Deck. Chairman—Mr. W. H. Going.
Full particulars of meetings, accommodation, and vouchers for reduced rail fares, from Miss O. Bewley, Seapatrick, Greystones, Co. Wicklow, or the Bible Depot, D'Olier street, Dublin.

CLERGY DAUGHTERS' SCHOOL
DUBLIN.
ELECTION OF PUPILS.
The Managing Committee will Elect to a few Vacancies on Friday, May 22nd. Forms of Application, which will be sent by the Secretary, 12 Earlsfort terrace, Dublin, must be returned before Tuesday, May 19th.

STEWART INSTITUTION
FOR IMBECILE CHILDREN AND
HOSPITAL FOR MENTAL DISEASES,
PALMERSTON, CO. DUBLIN.
The above Institution is open for the reception of Children of slow or defective intellect, by election or payment at fixed rates, according to requirements. Votes at Elections obtained by annual subscriptions of 10/6 or donation of £5 5/- and upwards.
HOSPITAL FOR MENTAL DISEASES,
This Branch is separate from above, and is open to Ladies or Gentlemen suffering from Mental Complaints, at rates from £126 per annum. The apartments are handsomely furnished, and command attractive views of river and mountain. Grounds extensive and well wooded. Amusements suited to summer and winter. Sanitary arrangements up to date. Resident Medical Superintendent and trained staff. Voluntary Boarders received. Lucan tram passes gate hourly. Telephone. Fully illustrated prospectus and all information on application to Secretary, 40 Molesworth street, Dublin.

REGISTRATION OF CLUBS (IRELAND) ACT, 1904.
I hereby give Notice that I have lodged an application for Renewal of Certificate of Registration of Roscommon Club, situate in Abbey street, in the town of Roscommon.
Dated this 1st day of May, 1925.
C. COLEMAN DIGNAN, Secretary.


## THE MID-DAY CHOP.

### BRITISH EAT SEVEN TIMES AS MUCH MUTTON AS AMERICANS.

In an analysis of meat consumption statistics the U.S. Department of Agriculture has noted that the British eat nearly seven times as much mutton and lamb as do Americans, and declare that the reason has "baffled satisfactory explanation."

The Department estimated that mutton and lamb consumption was at the rate of 5.2 lb. per person; pork, 88.8 lb.; beef, 62.6 lb.; and veal 8.3 lb.


The Irish Times.

MONDAY, MAY 4, 1925.


## NEWS SUMMARY.

**IRELAND.**

Mr. J. C. R. Lardner, K.C., a well-known member of the Irish Bar and a former member of the Irish Nationalist Parliamentary Party, died yesterday at Bournemouth.—(Page 5.)

A compromise on the bottle tax in the Free State is expected.—(Page 7.)

**GREAT BRITAIN.**

The Duke of York, the Prime Minister, Lord Birkenhead, Mr. Bridgeman, the Earl of Athlone and Sir Samuel Hoare were among the principal speakers at the Royal Academy banquet in London on Saturday night.—(Page 8.)

The Princess Royal, who is ill, was reported last night to be "making progress."—(Page 7.)

We print to-day a statement issued by the India Office announcing decisions that affect the premature retirement rules, which decisions have been taken as a result of the recommendations of the Royal Commission on the Superior Civil Services in India.—(Page 9.)

**ABROAD.**

The Allies have issued a warning to Bulgaria and Serbia to "keep the peace."—(Page 8.)

The Prince of Wales was entertained to dinner last Saturday night by the South African Government. There were remarkable scenes of enthusiasm.—(Page 7.)

**SPORTING.**

At the Phoenix Park on Saturday Scarlet Pimpernel won the Clondalkin Plate, Dalcassian the Castletown Plate, Sad the Clonsilla Plate, Fedamore the Loder Plate, Tiber the Clontarf Plate and Glenmakerin the Castleknock Plate.—(Page 10.)

At Hurst Park Creolian won the Victoria Cup.—(Page 10.)

At Thirsk Garrison won the Gormire Handicap.—(Page 10.)

**FINANCIAL.**

Money was in abundant supply in Lombard street on Saturday at 3¼ per cent. down to 2¾ per cent. Discount rates were firm. Foreign Exchanges were quiet.—(Page 4.)

## Europe's Enemy.

The British nation, as a whole, refuses to believe that Communism is a serious danger to the peoples of Western Europe. Despite the violent talk of certain Labour leaders and their acknowledged relations with Moscow, it has a serene faith in the sanity of its own working classes. In Germany public opinion is less confident, although the total Communist poll at the presidential election was not formidable; and France has taken some alarm at recent disorders in Paris. It is probable that the Communist outrage in Bulgaria will compel these Great Powers to revise their attitude of comparative detachment. In Eastern Europe, at any rate, Communism is a real peril, and anarchy in the Balkans might spell grave trouble not merely in the West, but in the Near and Middle East. Fortunately, the conspiracy in Sofia was a failure, except in its horrid toll of innocent life; and it appears that the Bulgarian Government has the situation well in hand. What would have happened, however, if the conspiracy had been a success—if all the leading Ministers had perished in the explosion at the cathedral? It is likely enough that the Government would have fallen, that King Boris would have suffered exile or an even worse fate, and that, in the resulting chaos, a Communist Government, under the ægis of Moscow, would have taken charge of Bulgarian affairs. In that event the hardly won peace of the Balkans would have been shattered, and Europe, from East to West, would have been confronted once again with the losses and miseries of war.

There is no doubt at all that the Soviet Government, even if it did not plan the Bulgarian outrage, would have hailed such results with the utmost joy. We may question the Soviet's power to contrive a world revolution, but it makes no concealment of its ambitions or, indeed, of the methods by which it hopes to secure its ends. Kameneff has declared openly that the election of Field-Marshal von Hindenburg will be used to strengthen the revolutionary forces in Germany. A Communist organisation, controlled and financed from Moscow, exists in every country in Europe. These organisations, directed against ordered government of every kind, are nursed by the Soviet's official representatives—trade commissioners and others—in the various countries. To-day an exceedingly clever system of propaganda is at work among the middle classes of England, France and Germany, and Communist intrigue is at the bottom of much of the present discontent and unrest in the trade unions. The declared object of all these manœuvres is the reduction of the whole civilised world, through war and anarchy, to a hideous monotony of life in which men will not be permitted to hold any individual rights in their own minds or bodies, or even in their own souls. The Communist machinery of revolution is described in an official "Code of Civil War" which has been issued under the auspices of the State Military Publicity Department at Moscow. Its basis in every country is Communist groups, working under "a central military triumvirate," an employing every means to provoke civil discord. These means include the fomenting of strikes and the corruption of military and police.

The English people have a magnificent tradition of tolerance and hate to endow agitators with the cheap advertisement of persecution. It seems, however, that the present Government finds itself compelled to take some notice of the growth and activities of international Communism. The Home Secretary, Sir William Joynson-Hicks, states that he is satisfied of the existence of "a definite effort, emanating directly from Moscow, to enforce communistic ideas and propaganda into every country." The number of Communists in Great Britain may be small, and, as yet, the results of their intrigue may be negligible; but their purpose, which is to subvert the existing order of things, cannot be ignored. This definite object, says the Home Secretary, is engaging the careful consideration of the Government, which is "fully cognisant of the state of affairs and will take such steps as are necessary for protection." The assurance is welcome, if only because it may dispel the uneasiness that was caused by recent rumours of Communist designs on London. We must believe that the British Government is well informed, that Scotland Yard is not asleep, and that Communism will not remain undisturbed in England for a moment after it has begun to be a real danger to the country's security and peace. Hitherto there has been no serious suggestion of Russian conspiracy in Ireland; and, perhaps, Moscow realises that, outside our three largest cities, Communism would beat in vain against the walls of religion and land-ownership. Nevertheless, our Irish Governments may be reminded that perpetual vigilance is the price of safety.

## The Prince in Africa.

The first Prince of Wales received that title in proof of England's desire to treat as equal freemen those whom her armies had subdued. The present Prince of Wales splendidly upheld the tradition of his title when he met South African citizens last Saturday and delighted the Dutch among his hearers by addressing them in Afrikaans. The Government dinner at Cape Town to welcome the Prince will be remembered in history; for it signified the happy close of the long quarrel between Boer and Briton, and marked a stage in that wonderful constitutional experiment which is the British Commonwealth. The Dutch Speaker of the House of Assembly proposed the health of the Prince, who is the future King of the associated free nations; and his supporters were two soldiers and statesmen who, in their day, have carried arms in war against Britain—General Hertzog and General Smuts. Long since, perceiving the truth that in association with the British States the Boer race could secure both freedom and security, General Smuts became an exponent of the Imperial idea. Slower to surrender the dream of an isolated Boer nation, General Hertzog was until yesterday the leader of a Republican and separatist movement. His accession to power last year caused the Prince's visit to the Union to be postponed; but once in power, and vested with the responsibility of preserving his people from home-born and foreign perils, the Nationalist leader saw that his former policy was insufficient, if not positively dangerous. He found that within the Dominion Constitution the Boer people had the means to pursue their ideals, and that the constitutional bond of union with their fellow-whites safeguarded those very ideals against the dangers that would menace unceasingly a separate Boer State. No speech of welcome was more eloquent—none, evidently, was more sincere—than that of the Nationalist Prime Minister of the Union. That the Heir to the Throne himself perceived the large significance of this occasion was made evident by the remarkable words of his reply. The Prince reminded his hearers that, by a process of steady development, the self-governing Dominions had attained a *status* which was marked by their separate signatures to the Peace Treaty and by membership of the League of Nations; but, he added, "the full conception of what is meant by a brotherhood of free nations such as ours has still to be worked out." Something of that "full conception" was expressed in the voices of the Boers who cried "*Ons Prins*"; for they were the voices of freemen. The homage paid to the British Heir Apparent was that of willing partners in the great endeavour to unite many nations, races and tongues in a world-wide brotherhood. What is happening in South Africa is being watched with interest throughout the world. General Hertzog's example, doubtless, had a part in the altered attitude of Mr. C. R. Das, the leader of extreme Indian Nationalism, who now declares that Indian ideals can be attained without separation from the British Empire, since within the freedom of the Commonwealth may be found "all the elements of *Swaraj*." Thus do the most advanced revolutionaries come to perceive, in the light of experience, that co-operation is the means, as it is the guardian, of freedom.

## A Century of Science.

The visitor to the great museum at South Kensington, where the works of Nature are gathered and arranged as in a microcosm, sees in a high place an effigy which seems to brood, in solemn profundity of thought, on the splendour and the mystery of creation. The lofty brow, the deep-set eyes, the grave attitude, are those of Thomas Henry Huxley, part of whose life-work it was to codify and interpret man's knowledge of the animal world. Standing amid the master's toils, and awed by their sublime revelations, the visitor perceives something of the essential piety of those great Victorian men of science among whom Huxley was eminent, and finds it hard, perhaps, to realise that in his day Huxley was considered the chief among heresiarchs. A hundred years ago, to-day, Huxley was born. He grew up in a world to which industrialism was as yet but a young growth, and while railways were yet to supplant the stage-coach. If the mechanical idea still was strange, stranger still were the ideas of pure science. Darwin's doctrine of the evolution of species sounded like blasphemy in an age which forgot that similar theories had been broached by Churchmen centuries earlier; and for his part as Darwin's champion Huxley was made to suffer denunciation and slander. Not all that Huxley taught in these essays, with their moral earnestness and plain beauty of language, is held true by the science of to-day; but as the teacher of the scientific outlook he has an abiding place in history. Huxley largely is to be thanked if none to-day foolishly confounds the functions of science and religion. Based on the immutable ground of faith, religion fears no discovery of the laboratories, and from the deeper knowledge of the wonders of creation piety draws fresh reason for reverence.

## American Tourists.

Not since the movement known to history as the Wandering of the Barbarians—when the tribes of the North overran and conquered the ancient lands of the Empire—have the cities of Europe seen such hosts of strangers in their streets as they will see this year. Last Saturday nine liners left the United States for Europe, laden with the first few thousands of American tourists who are to invade the Old World. During the summer months it is expected that two hundred thousand travellers will cross the Atlantic for Britain, France, Italy and Switzerland; and American bankers estimate that these visitors will spend a hundred million pounds in Britain and France alone. Of those who sailed on Saturday a large proportion, doubtless, intends to be present at the opening of the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley on Saturday next. If the Irish Free State Government had provided for a Free State pavilion at Wembley, our hotel-keepers and others interested in the tourist traffic would have had good cause to congratulate themselves; for thousands of these American visitors to Britain would have been induced by sagacious advertisement to cross the Irish Sea. We hope, however, that despite this lost opportunity means will be found to bring our country's attractions before considerable numbers of these trans-Atlantic wanderers. We shall reconcile ourselves to those hustling figures in our easy-going streets, to the nasal accent and the gratuitous advice on how to manage our own affairs in a more enlightened fashion, by the consideration that these visitors will bring some measure of prosperity to many of our countrymen, and will enlarge their own minds.

## UNIVERSITY WOMEN.

### FIRST CONFERENCE OF IRISH FEDERATION.

On Friday, May 15th, the newly-formed Irish Federation of University Women will hold its first conference in Trinity College, Dublin, where rooms have been put at its disposal by the kindness of the Board. The Irish Federation is a member of the International Federation of University Women, and is itself formed by the union of women-graduate associations of Trinity College and of Queen's University, Belfast. Membership of the Irish Federation is open to organisations of women graduates representing a university or institution bestowing qualifications of similar standard. It is hoped that before long the Irish Federation, now counting upwards of 400 members, may grow notably in size and importance; though it is not likely ever to rival in number the American Federation, with its membership of 20,000.

The Irish Federation has existed, on paper, since last July. Its material existence begins at this conference, when reports will be read from the Dublin and Belfast branches, and delegates from each will consider a constitution and will elect officers and Council for 1925-1927. A general meeting of members and others interested will be held in the Regent House, Trinity College, at 3 o'clock, the Vice-Provost in the chair.

The Federation is very fortunate in having secured the help of Professor Caroline Spurgeon for its inaugural conference. Miss Spurgeon, *Docteur ès Lettres*, of the University of Paris, Professor of the University of London and well known for her Chaucerian research, was the leading spirit in the formation of the International Federation, of which she was the first President. She will address the conference on the History of the International Federation. She will have much to tell of university women of all countries, of the interchange of ideas and hospitality fostered by the Federation, of its encouragement of post-graduate research, of its international clubhouses in Paris, Brussels, London, New York and Chicago and its ambitions for women outside the academic groove in commerce, industry and public life.

The keynote of the International Federation is mutual helpfulness with internal freedom. Every country has the organisation that suits its own conditions; everyone is prepared to learn of the others and welcome visitors from the others, to share in the general interest its own peculiar powers and advantages. Similarly, the Irish Federation hopes to make the women of the Irish universities better known to one another and more helpful to one another and to Ireland. It will leave intact the existing organisations with the interests and development natural to each other. At one end it is linked to a world-wide movement; at the other it depends for its prosperity on the affection of every individual graduate for her own university.

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## PRINCE HENRY IN GLASGOW.

### PRIVILEGES OF A BURGESS.

Prince Henry visited Glasgow last Saturday morning to fulfil a series of engagements. His Royal Highness was accorded a demonstrative welcome by the crowds which thronged the streets. After unveiling a memorial tablet at the Throat Hospital, the Prince motored to St. Andrew's Hall, where, in the presence of four thousand citizens, he was made a burgess of the city.

Prince Henry said that he had not been informed of the privileges which followed the honour of the freedom. He had now learnt, however, that he might be permitted to open a shop, or, if he fell into indigency, be the recipient of the Trades House Pension. He might also, unwittingly, have become responsible for a share of the municipal assessments. If he had no opportunity of consulting the Town Clerk, he would not lack guidance from members of his own family, inasmuch as the King, the Queen, the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York, and Princess Mary were all freemen. Perhaps he ought to say the Queen and the Princess were freewomen. His appreciation was not without the satisfaction which a younger son felt when put upon an equality with his elder brothers and sister. He was proud of the distinction because the term, "Clyde-built," was synonymous all over the world with excellence of material and workmanship.

In the afternoon the Prince was the inspecting officer at a review of ten thousand lads of the Glasgow Battalion of the Boys' Brigade.

## WEATHER FORECAST.

*General Inference.—A depression remains almost stationary off the North-West of Ireland, and a secondary one over Southern England is moving northward or north-eastward. The weather will be unsettled generally, with southerly or south-westerly winds, but there will be bright periods in the South.*

*N.W. and N.E. Ireland.—Wind south-easterly to southerly, moderate to fresh locally; cloudy; some rain; moderate visibility; moderate temperature.*

*S.E. and S.W. Ireland.—Wind south-westerly, moderate or fresh locally; occasional rain or showers, but bright periods; visibility mainly moderate, apart from coastal fog; mild.*

*S.W. Seaboard.—Wind south-westerly, moderate or fresh locally; occasional rain or showers, but bright periods; some mist or fog in places; sea moderate.*

*Irish Sea, St. George's Channel and N.W. Seaboard.—Wind south-easterly to southerly, moderate to fresh; some rain; visibility moderate; sea rather rough.*

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt)

DUBLIN WEATHER REPORT.

| | Bar. | Thermometer. Temp. 10 p.m. | Max. | Min. | Min. grass | Wind. | Rain. m.m. | Sun hours |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| April 28 | [illegible] | 46.1 | 52 | 42 | 39 | N.W. | 3.3 | 7.2 |
| 29 | 30.10 | 42.4 | 51 | 36 | 24 | W. | Trace | 6.7 |
| 30 | 29.93 | 42.9 | 48 | 37 | 34 | N.E. | — | 4.0 |
| May 1 | [illegible] | 49.0 | 57 | 47 | 35 | N.W. | 0.9 | 9.3 |
| 2 | 29.94 | 48.6 | 53 | 45 | 38 | W. | Trace | 1.3 |
| 3 | 29.70 | 47.0 | 50 | 43 | 40 | S.E. | 1.2 | 0.0 |

SUN (NEW TIME).

To-day.... Rises .. 5.46 Sets .................. 8.59
To-morrow.. ,, .. 5.44 ,, .................. 9. 0
Lighting-up Time .................. 9.39

HIGH WATER.
DUBLIN.

To-day.... Morning 9.16 Afternoon .......... 9.44
To-morrow.. ,, .. 10. 9 ,, .................. 10.33

## COURT AND PERSONAL.

Prince Henry arrived in Glasgow last Saturday morning from London and was warmly welcomed by cheering crowds in all the streets through which he passed. His first engagement was the unveiling of a memorial tablet in the Throat Hospital, after which he drove to St. Andrew's Hall, where, in the presence of a great gathering, he was presented with the freedom of the city.

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The Duke of Rutland, who is suffering from an attack of pleurisy, was a little better last Saturday. The Duchess of Beaufort was laid up at the end of last week, and was unable to open the exhibition of Mr. Lionel Edwards's hunting pictures on Saturday. Prince Frederick Duleep Singh is indisposed and has cancelled all engagements for the present. Field-Marshal the Earl of Ypres continues to make satisfactory progress. The improvement in Viscount Leverhulme's condition is maintained. Viscount Milner is suffering from an attack of sleepy sickness. He is compelled to take a complete rest and will remain at Sturry Court, his residence near Canterbury, for some time. Lord Hastings has made an excellent recovery from his recent illness.

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The Marquis and Marchioness of Cholmondeley, who spent the past two months at Biarritz, have arrived in Paris on their way back to London, and will spend the season at their house in Kensington Palace Gardens. The Marquis of Hartington, who has been with his father, the Duke of Devonshire, at Lismore Castle, has returned to London bringing a favourable report of the Duke's progress. The Earl of Iveagh is now in residence at 5 Grosvenor place, London, S.W. General the Earl of Cavan and the Countess of Cavan have returned from their motor tour abroad and are at their house in Great Cumberland place. Isabel Lady Talbot de Malahide has returned to Buckingham Palace Mansions from the South of France. Lord and Lady Dunsany have left Dunsany Castle for London, and will spend the next three weeks at 66 Cadogan square, S.W.

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Lord d'Abernon has left London for the British Embassy, Berlin. Sir Hall Caine left London last week for Port Said *en route* for Palestine and Syria, and will be the guest of the High Commissioner during his visit to Jerusalem. General Sir James and Lady Willcocks will be leaving England shortly for a prolonged tour through Kenya Colony, and later will visit India.

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Many Irish visitors were present at the private view of the Royal Academy, including the Duchess of Abercorn, Viscountess Massereene and the Hon. John Skeffington, Lord and Lady George Hamilton, Lord and Lady Arthur Hill, Lady Constance Leslie, the Hon. George and Lady Mary Crichton, Lord Killanin, Florence Lady Garvagh, Lord Carson, Margaret Lady Langford, Mrs. Benjamin Guinness and Miss Meraud Guinness, Lady Adelaide Taylour and Lady Leslie.

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Major Sir Nevile Wilkinson has left Dublin for London and will be joined to-day by Lady Beatrix and the Misses Wilkinson on their return from Denver, Colorado, where they spent the spring. Lady Bond has left Ireland for London, and is staying at Claridge's Hotel, where Lady and Miss Coats and Captain Dudley Coats are also staying.

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The engagement is announced between James, only son of the late Mr. James Grew, J.P., Portadown, and Mrs. Grew, 31 St. Mary's road, Ballsbridge, Dublin, and Mona, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Fleming, 13 Longford terrace, Monkstown, Co. Dublin.

A Subscription Ball in aid of Ballymacad Hunt Fowl Fund will be held on Tuesday in Horse Show week at the Hotel Metropole. Further particulars later.

MARRIAGE OF CAPTAIN MICHEL POPOFF AND MISS MARY THERESA NUGENT.

On April 30th, at the Church of St. Phillippe du Roule, Paris, Captain Michel Popoff, late 8th Russian Hussars, son of Serge Popoff, Councillor of State, Odessa, was married to Mary Theresa (May), elder daughter of the late Honble. Richard Nugent, Stacumney, Celbridge, Ireland, and granddaughter of the 9th Earl of Westmeath. The Vice-Consul attended the ceremony, and Madame la Comtesse de Montmort received afterwards. Amongst those present were:—Madame de Pogliès (mother of bridegroom), Mr. Alexandre Popoff, late 8th Russian Hussars; Mlle. de Montmort, Miss P. Netterville, Mrs. Romer, Lady Williams, Mrs. Vonte, etc., etc. Baron Stakelberg, late 8th Russian Hussars, acted as best man. Later Captain Popoff and Mrs. Nugent Popoff, left Paris *en route* for England and Ireland.


To-day and daily this week in Switzer's Corset Department an Expert Corsetiere is giving individual demonstrations of the "Treo" Elastic Corsets.

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Departures:—Joseph Scher, Cecil Golding, Eric Botterill, Michael and Mrs. Piggott, J. B. Gregg, Jerome F. Carbury, John J. Dunne, Albert Langley, Miss E. M. Collins, Miss R. McGuinness, Miss Sheelah Moran, J. T. Molloy, Mrs. W. P. Delaney, Mrs. A. A. Byrne, Dr. C. M. West, Lieut. G. B. Deverell, R.N.; Miss P. N. Donovan, Mrs. Randall Wells, C. Finch, Mrs. H. F. Holmes, W. H. Molyneux, Miss Nora Molyneux, Miss Beryl Molyneux, Miss L. Sherriff, Miss F. Sherriff, J. Boyd Barrett, B. L. Haram, R.N.R.; Miss Monica Warner, Mrs. Loughlin O'Halloran, Dr. J. J. Kennedy, Dr. D. J. Histon, Miss Sheila Brunker, Miss L. Bale, Miss M. Arnold, Dr. R. Roantree, J. P. Murphy.

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## TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"The Merry Widow," 7.45 p.m.
Theatre Royal—"The Honeymoon Girl," 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Olympia Theatre—"Hop Scotch," 7 and 9 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"Served Hot," 6.50 and 9 p.m.
The Metropole—"The Only Woman."
La Scala—"Flaming Barriers," 3-10.30.
The Grafton—"Sinners in Silk."
Grand Central Cinema—"The Moon of Israel," 2, 4.15, 6.30 and 8.45 p.m.
Bohemian Picture Theatre—"Age of Desire," 4.30 to 10.30 p.m.
The Carlton—"Flirting with Love."
Sackville Picture Theatre—"The Signal Tower."
Princess, Rathmines—"The Clean Heart."
The Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"Cameo Kirby," 3.50, 6.20, and 8.50 p.m.
Water Colour Society of Ireland Exhibition, Mills' Hall, Merrion Row, 3.30 p.m.
Exhibition of Paintings and Etchings, 19 Kildare street, 11 to 5 o'clock.
Institute of Civil Engineers, 35 Dawson street, 8 p.m.
Commemoration of 1916, Arbour Hill, 10 a.m.
Friends' Foreign Missions, 6 Eustace street, 7 p.m.
Feis Ceoil—In Metropolitan Hall, in Abbey Lecture Hall, and in Scotch Church Hall.
Rotary Club, 1 p.m.
National Institution for the Blind, 41 Upper O'Connell street.
Law Courts, Dublin Castle, 11 a.m.
Circuit Court, Green street, 11 a.m.

## PROCEDURE IN THE SENATE.

The Earl of Mayo writes to say that in the report of the debate on Mr. Westropp Bennett's motion in the Free State Senate on Thursday last, he was erroneously stated to have supported Mr. Brown's amendment.

## LONDON LETTER.

### THE PRINCESS ROYAL.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
SUNDAY NIGHT.

The illness of the Princess Royal came as a shock to London yesterday; for, though the Princess is one of the least known members of the Royal Family, she is not the least popular. She has always been a very keen theatre-goer, and there is scarcely a play that she does not sample when staying in London. The eldest daughter of King Edward, she was declared Princess Royal in 1905, and has, therefore, carried the title of the first Princess of England for twenty years. Illness has been rife in the Royal Family this year. The King, Prince Henry, Princess Victoria, Prince George and Princess Louise (Duchess of Argyll) have all been in the hands of the doctors since Christmas.

***Abuse of the Dole.***

I mentioned some weeks ago that it was the intention of the Government to institute a most searching inquiry into the operation of unemployment insurance. The Budget has made such an inquiry more necessary than ever, and no time will now be lost in carrying it out. There is ample evidence to prove that many thousands of people are drawing the dole who have no shadow of right to it, and that the Labour Exchanges have not been exercising all the care that was necessary in sorting out the applicants. The laxity displayed by the Exchanges during the Socialist Administration is largely responsible for the fact that the total of dole-takers has reached its present proportions. It is estimated that by careful examination the number of people justly entitled to the dole will be reduced by half a million. The discovery that so many married women are receiving it has startled the authorities, and the inquiry will be of a most searching character.

***Second Thoughts on Silk.***

There is little doubt that something will be done in connection with the proposed duty on silk in order that the tax may be more acceptable than at present. Discussions are now taking place between the Treasury and the representatives of the silk industry with the idea of finding a solution which will be agreeable to both sides. It is recognised by the Treasury that the duty was imposed before sufficient *data* had been secured from the trade, while the far-reaching ramifications of the duty were unsuspected.

***The Gold Standard.***

Mr. Snowden, on behalf of the Labour Party, will move the rejection of the Gold Standard Bill to-morrow on the ground that "a return to the gold standard with undue precipitancy may aggravate existing grave conditions of unemployment and trade depression." As the Socialists have decided to oppose the Bill, it is only natural that the task of moving its rejection should be delegated to their ex-Chancellor of the Exchequer; but it is rather curious that only a few weeks ago Mr. Snowden wrote an article in a Sunday paper extolling the advantages of the gold standard.

***Liberal Dissensions.***

The situation of the Liberal Party continues to be extraordinary; for the debates of the past week show that it is still hopelessly divided. There are three definite groups, and every one of them is anxious to run the party with a programme selected by itself. The group led by Sir Alfred Mond does not like the return to a gold standard, but wants the pensions scheme to be contributory. The Runciman group take an exactly opposite point of view on both matters. The Liberal Imperialist group, with Captain Guest at its head, wants everything contained in the Budget and is prepared to support Mr. Churchill throughout. In the circumstances the position of the leaders, titular or real, is peculiar: they seem to do no leading, but just look on.

***The Free State's Contribution.***

Colonel Gretton will ask Mr. Churchill on Thursday if he will state what steps have been taken to determine the amount of the annual contribution of the Irish Free State to Imperial funds under Article 5 of the Treaty, and if he will state when will be the proper time for such payments to begin.

***The Royal Academy.***

The Royal Academy will be opened to the public to-morrow, and, from personal experience, it may be said that the visitors are to be congratulated that they will see only a small selection of the pictures sent in for judgment. Twelve thousand paintings were rejected, while fewer were hung than ever before. There are only two lines of pictures in the galleries, with the exception of the gem room, or gallery devoted to small pictures; and the expanses of wall seen in all directions are only a shade less depressing than the pictures. The water-colours suffered heavily, since four thousand were submitted and only two hundred and fifty were accepted. With regard to Sir William Orpen's painting, "Man versus Beast—Paris," the artist says that he painted it from an actual observation of a little circus in Paris, and that it is not a satire, but an actual record.

***May Weather.***

The first week-end of the merry month of May has not been of a particularly seasonable character; for conditions generally have been dull, wet and cold. It is to be hoped that May will make a better showing with regard to sunshine than last month. Dublin, however, was more fortunate than London; for the statistics compiled by the Meteorological Department of the Air Ministry show that sunshine in Dublin during April amounted to 176 hours, which was eleven hours above the average for the month, while London, with 131 hours, was twenty-six hours short of the average. At only three places—Holyhead, Falmouth and Liverpool—was more sunshine recorded in April than at Dublin.

***Contracts for Ships.***

It is hoped that the efforts which are now being made to secure the contract for eight new Blue Star liners for British shipyards will be successful, though the Continental tenders were from £18,000 to £20,000 lower. The Blue Star Line is not as well known as the passenger-carrying lines, but it is one of the largest fleets in the world, consisting of seventeen boats engaged in the refrigerated meat trade. They ply between South America and London, as well as to several other British ports. Although the vessels are of 10,000 or 12,000 tons, they come nearly as far up the Thames as the boats employed on the London-Dublin service.

***The Test Matches.***

Next year's Test matches against the Australians will be played under the old system of three days a match, except in the case of the last match, which will be played at the Oval on August 14th, when the game will be played to a finish if the rubber should depend upon the result. No decision has been reached with regard to the proposal that the luck of the toss shall be modified by the granting to the side losing the toss in the first and third matches of the option of batting first in the second and fourth games. This is a matter in which the wishes of the Australians might be taken into consideration, and there is yet a full year for an interchange of opinions.

By the strict observance of the Sabbath, the Englishman has carried out a weekly rest cure which has contributed to the national health.—M. André Chevrillon.

# THE PRINCE'S TOUR.

## SOUTH AFRICA'S WELCOME.

## DUTCH AND BRITISH UNITED.

## UNION PARLIAMENT'S TRIBUTE.

## SPEECH IN AFRIKAANS.

FROM THE PRESS ASSOCIATION'S SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

*CAPE TOWN, Sunday.*

There were memorable scenes here last night, when the Government entertained the Prince of Wales to dinner. Members of all parties say that the enthusiasm was unforgettable. Many Nationalist members declare that it has brought a new era to South Africa.

The Prince stood by the old Speaker's chair, which had been specially brought there for the occasion, and shook hands with everybody. The speeches, including that of His Royal Highness, reached the highest level. A great moment came when the Prince said "*Meneer die Speaker,*" and proceeded with his speech in Afrikaans. Then there was an outburst of applause and cheering, which broke out again and again, and the Prince was unable to continue for a minute or two. When he had concluded the cheering broke out afresh, culminating in such scenes of enthusiasm as had never before been witnessed in the Houses of Parliament.

After dinner the Dutch members took the Prince into the adjacent Queen's Hall, which had been specially carpeted for the occasion, and talked to him for a long time, and some of the younger Dutch members sang his health in Afrikaans songs.

**NO BITTERNESS LEFT.**

Proposing the Prince's health at the banquet, the Speaker of the House of Assembly, Mr. C. G. Jansen, who presided, expressed very great pleasure at his visit. He pointed to the tremendous change which has taken place since the Boer War, and said that to-night, therefore, two white races were united. (Cheers.) That culmination in honour of the future King of the British Commonwealth of Nations—(loud prolonged cheers)—was largely due to wise statesmanship in granting full responsible government to the old Republics in so comparatively short a time after the end of the war.

The banquet would assist to eliminate every trace of bitterness. (Loud cheers.) The Prince's visit had strengthened the spirit of co-operation and optimism.

Mr. Jansen concluded by wishing long life, happiness and prosperity to their guest, and to all peoples owing allegiance to the Crown.

General Hertzog, who was received with loud applause, supported the toast, and, addressing the Prince, said:—"You will be welcomed in the lonely plains of the Free State, on the high veldt of the Transvaal, and in solitary villages with the same warmth. Your welcome everywhere would be equally sincere. (Loud cheers.)

**NO SIDE OR "SWANK."**

General Smuts, who was greeted with prolonged cheering, said that he would like to add to those eloquent tributes, though the Prince himself must have seen the spirit of admiration and affection of the people. They loved his simplicity, his human ways, his sincerity, and they saw no side or "swank" about him. (Loud applause.) The people of South Africa had a deep attachment to him and the Throne. (Renewed cheering.)

"God Bless the Prince of Wales" was then sung in English and Afrikaans, the cheering lasting many minutes, accompanied with loud cries of "*Ons Prins.*" It was a wonderful tribute, and is described as the most remarkable scene ever witnessed in any Parliament.

**PRINCE'S SPEECH.**

The Prince, in replying, expressed his appreciation of the welcome accorded to him as it came in the name of all parties—(loud cheers)—and of the wonderful welcome he had received ever since he landed in Capetown. He was genuinely delighted to be in South Africa. (Renewed cheering.)

Referring to the development of the constitutional *status* of the self-governing Dominions, the Prince said:—"That development was, perhaps, first strikingly marked by the separate signature by representatives of the Dominions of the Peace Treaties, and by their inclusion as members of the League of Nations. But anyone who has taken the trouble to study history in the period since 1919 must realise that this development has been going on all the time, and the full conception of what is meant by a brotherhood of free nations such as ours has still to be worked out."

Continuing, the Prince said:—"I realise that the welcome you extend to me is a recognition to me as the King's eldest son—(loud cheers)—as heir to the Throne under which the members of the Commonwealth are free to develop, each on its own lines, but all to work together as one." (Loud cheers.)

He pointed out the important position which the Union Government holds in the League of Nations, as exercising the mandate for South West Africa, which, he regretted, he was unable to visit, and concluded by emphasising the benefits of inter-Empire visits, saying that he was glad that the recent Empire Parliamentary visit to South Africa had taken place. He quoted the King's words in addressing the last Imperial Conference, and expressed the hope that the visit would add to their mutual knowledge and co-operation.

Finally, speaking in Afrikaans, the Prince most sincerely returned thanks for the hospitality extended to him, and there were enthusiastic cheers.

## A MOUNTAIN DRIVE.

### PRINCE AT SIMONSTOWN.

*CAPE TOWN, Saturday.*

The forebodings this morning that the Prince of Wales's drive to Simonstown would be spoilt by the strong, blustering wind prevailing, were fortunately unjustified, although the weather was somewhat annoying on the narrow paths of the great mountain sides along which the cars travelled. For miles during the latter part of the motor drive the road skirted precipices, with almost sheer drops of hundreds of feet, which gave rise to many little thrills as the cars rounded certain sections of the journey. The route was decidedly corkscrew-like, but the scenery was wonderful throughout.

On his arrival in Simonstown the Prince received an address on a little temporary dais which had been erected in his honour. The cruisers Dublin and Birmingham, and the sloops Verbena and Wallflower, were in the harbour, gaily dressed with bunting, only a stone's throw away, and added to the attractiveness of the scene. After a short welcoming ceremony the Prince proceeded on board the General Botha, training ship of the Cape-

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# KING'S SISTER ILL.

## LAST NIGHT'S BULLETIN.

## PRINCESS ROYAL "MAKING PROGRESS."

THE Princess Royal is recovering from a severe attack of gastric hemorrhage, which caused considerable shock and weakness. The following bulletin was issued at 10 p.m. last night from 15 Portman square, London:—

**The Princess Royal has passed a somewhat restless day, but has continued to make progress.**

This bulletin was signed by Dr. Russell Wilkinson and Sir Thomas Horder, who have been attending the Princess Royal for the past few days.

Sir Thomas Horder is one of the physicians-in-ordinary to the Prince of Wales, while Dr. Russell Wilkinson was physician to Prince Arthur during his term as Governor-General of the Union of South Africa.

The first news of the illness of the Princess Royal was contained in the following bulletin, issued last Saturday morning. This was as follows:—

**The Princess Royal had a severe gastric hemorrhage yesterday, and this was followed by considerable shock and weakness. After a restful night Her Royal Highness has regained some strength, and there has been no recurrence of the incident.**

(Signed) RUSSELL WILKINSON.
THOS. HORDER.

Yesterday morning it was stated that she passed "a fair night and still maintains her strength."

The King and Queen, who visited the Princess Royal on Saturday afternoon, received many expressions of sympathy when they visited the Royal Academy yesterday afternoon.

After his visit to the Academy, the King went to see the Princess Royal yesterday afternoon.

The Princess Royal (Princess Louise Victoria Alexandra Dagmar), who was born in 1867, is the eldest sister of the King, and was married in 1889 to the late Duke of Fife.

She is the mother of Princess Arthur of Connaught, who, with Prince Arthur, recently returned from India, and of Princess Maud (Lady Maud Carnegie), who was married in 1923 to Captain Lord Carnegie, eldest son of the Earl of Southesk.

The first Duke of Fife died in 1912 after an illness following the wreck of the Delhi off Cape Spartel. His death took place at Assouan, and the body was brought back to England in H.M.S. Powerful and interred in a specially-built vault in the private chapel at Mar Lodge, on his Aberdeenshire estate.

## BULGARIAN PLOT.

### SEXTON CONFESSES TO BOMB OUTRAGE.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

*SOFIA, Saturday.*

Peter Zagorsky, the sexton of St. Nedelia's Cathedral, confessed the complete story of the recent Communist bomb explosion before the courtmartial to-day.

He admitted that he became a Communist when he was a tramway driver several years ago. He confessed that he received twelve thousand levas for his part in the plot. Comrades Abadjieff and Vasko told him the day on which King Boris was attacked that the attack had been a failure, "and that they must find another important personage as victim."

On the morning of the funeral of General Georgieff, Zagorsky was told by Vasko that the bomb would be fired that day. Zagorsky explained that Vasko brought explosives to the church several times before the explosion, and to warn Zagorsky that he would be coming in the evenings with the explosives Vasko placed a white piece of paper in the keyhole of the sexton's door.

"Vasko told me to rap the door leading to the outside ladder of the bell-tower when the church was filled. I rapped the door when I saw the members of the Cabinet arriving at the church. Then Vasko lighted the fuse and ran away. They (the Communists) promised to get me a Jugo-Slavian passport to leave Bulgaria after the explosion."

## A FORGOTTEN MUMMY.

### 2,000 YEARS OLDER THAN TUTANKHAMEN.

*MONTREAL (By Mail.)*

The mummy of an Egyptian Royal priestess, described as being nearly 2,000 years older than the famous Tutankhamen, in a perfect state of preservation, with a beautiful head of grey hair, has been unpacked at the McGill University, after lying in a down-town storeroom for twenty years. It was formerly the property of the old Natural History Museum, all the contents of which passed into the hands of the University.

Extreme interest was shown in the mummy on its removal, and the room in which it was unpacked was crowded with professors and students. The feet, which were naked, were perfectly preserved, as also were the nails. The existence of this treasure had been virtually forgotten.—(Reuter.)

## WATERSPOUT IN SWEDEN.

### HOUSE UNROOFED AND TREES TORN UP.

*STOCKHOLM (By Mail).*

A waterspout has wrought considerable destruction in the Mjoelby district. In the space of two minutes it covered a distance of about four miles. The roof of a farm building was torn off, carried sixty feet into the air, and then flung away at a tangent. It fell to the ground a hundred yards away. Trees were uprooted and other damage done to buildings and plantations. It is remarkable that no one living in the track of the spout was injured. Both before and after the visitation the air was heavy and absolutely windless.—(Reuter.)

## SUBMISSION OF MAHSUD TRIBES.

### GOVERNMENT'S TERMS ACCEPTED.

*SIMLA, Sunday.*

The Abdur Rahman Khel, the last of the Mahsud tribes, against which the Royal Air Force has been conducting operations during the past two months, has now submitted and accepted the Government's terms in full. Owing to the detailed knowledge of the country, which has been acquired during its occupation since 1920, it has been possible to isolate the offending tribes entirely, and, as a result, greatly to enhance the effect of the aerial operations. Not only has a settlement been reached for all past offences, but certain sections of the Guri Khel and Abdur Rahman Khel that have previously never entered into relations with the Government, have joined the main body of their tribes in a comprehensive settlement.—(Reuter.)

## U.S. AIRSHIP'S LATEST FLIGHT.

*LAKEHURST, NEW JERSEY, Sunday.*

The United States airship Los Angeles sailed for Puerto Rico, West Indies, at 11 o'clock this morning.—(Reuter.)

# EMPTY BOTTLES AS EVIDENCE.

## PROHIBITION RAIDS IN INDIANA.

## 250 ARRESTS.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.

*NEW YORK, Sunday.*

At the end of one week's enforcement of the drastic "bone-dry" law in Indiana, 250 persons are in gaol in that State, with the probability of having to serve sentences of imprisonment varying from thirty days to six months.

The prosecuting officials have set up what has been called a "reign of terror." For the first time proof that liquor stocks were legitimately acquired before the passage of the Prohibition amendment of the Constitution has not been accepted as exempting the possessor from being prosecuted as a law-breaker.

In construing the new law, the Acting Prohibition Director for Indiana has ruled that the mere possession of liquor, no matter how it was acquired, even though bought under a physician's prescription, is a violation of the law, carrying with it the penalty of imprisonment.

The only exceptions are liquors for sacramental purposes.

The authorities go to great extremes in the matter of evidence. If a policeman swears that he smelt liquor, which had been destroyed, that is taken as sufficient evidence of violation of the Statute by the person whose residence or store had been raided.

Even the possession of empty kegs, bottles, and other containers, which emit the odour of liquor, is admitted in the Courts as evidence of the illegal possession of such liquor.

## GOLD STANDARD.

### POSITION OF THE IRISH BANKS.

The position of the Irish banks and the gold standard is referred to by the *Statist*.

"The decision to return to a free gold market in London, as announced by Mr. Churchill in the financial statement last Tuesday," says the *Statist*, "is an event of outstanding international importance, and one that may have far-reaching effects on British trade.

"In a sense, the decision is epoch-making, since a number of important nations have only been waiting for a decisive declaration on the part of Great Britain before returning to the gold standard themselves.

"Prominent amongst these are the British Dominions, Canada, South Africa, Australia and New Zealand. Canada is already at gold parity, and has been so for some time past. The Union of South Africa returns to gold convertibility on July 1 next, in conformment with the recent rise in sterling; the South African banks have reduced the premium on South African funds three times within the current month, lowering the selling rate on South Africa successively from 1½ per cent. premium.

"The Australian and New Zealand banks have not altered their quotations in consonance with the rise in sterling, and still maintain premiums of 3½ per cent. and 2½ per cent. on Australian and New Zealand funds, respectively—cable selling rates in London.

"The Irish Free State is in a different category, as British Treasury notes circulate, and are still legal tender there. The Irish Free State, indeed, is a possible source of embarrassment to London in regard to the gold standard, since the Irish banks may ask for a return of the gold they sent to the Bank of England at the commencement of the war, while the Free State Government may decide to supersede Treasury notes by an issue on their own authority.

"The latter step, however, would raise the whole question of Article 5 of the Anglo-Irish Treaty, and for this reason the Irish Government will be averse from taking it at present."

## AUSTRO-GERMAN UNION.

### DEMONSTRATION IN VIENNA.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

*VIENNA, Sunday.*

Austria must join Germany, despite Hindenburg, was the burden of the first great demonstration for the union of Austria and Germany held in Vienna yesterday. A thousand flag-bearers, marching with a choir of five thousand, marked the demonstration, for which all traffic was stopped through the streets for two hours.

Union with Germany has become Austria's greatest question since the formation of the Committee for the Propagation of the Union. In his address to the demonstrations Dr. Deutsch, President of the Union for the Protection of the Republic, declared that, had Austria been a member of the German Republic at the time of the Presidential elections, Hindenburg would have been defeated.

## TOWN PEOPLE'S DELUSION.

### MR. WOOD ON INTELLIGENCE OF COUNTRY FOLK.

Mr. Edward Wood, British Minister for Agriculture, speaking at Gloucester last Saturday, said:—

"I want to combat a delusion of town people that the country child, man or woman is less clever and intelligent than their brothers and sisters in the town. The truth is that agriculture and the things associated with it demand a greater measure of intelligence, enterprise and grip than the work done by the thousands of townsmen, with their rule-of-thumb methods, in many industries. The President of the Board of Education is in complete sympathy with the Board of Agriculture in bringing the educational side into close alliance with the agricultural side. What we are really after is trying to marry science with the ordinary practice on the ordinary farm."

## POLICE CONFERENCE.

### MODERN TRAFFIC PROBLEMS.

"The time is not far distant when there will be no room for tramways in the main streets of our large cities," stated Captain G. E. Gower, Chief Constable of Newport, and President of the Chief Constables' Association of Great Britain, who has gone to New York to attend an International Police Conference. He was accompanied by Sir Robert Peacock, Chief Constable of Manchester, and other English delegates.

Altogether there will be eight hundred delegates, representing forty-two countries. Some important developments are expected at the conference in regard to a new system evolved by the American police for the circulation of the identity of criminals by means of wireless.

## LIQUOR CONTROL IN CANADA.

*REGINA, CANADA (By Mail.)*

An old Chinese resident of Regina had the honour of being the first purchaser of liquor under the new system of Governmental control in the Province of Saskatchewan. He was the first in the queue, and walked away proudly, bearing a bottle of Chinese "samshu." Under the new law single bottles may be purchased without a permit. The Act allows districts to exercise local option.—(Reuter.)

M. Clement Ader, Officer of the Legion of Honour, the father of French aviation, died yesterday in a hospital at Toulouse.

# BOTTLE TAX.

## A COMPROMISE PROPOSED.

## CONFERENCE IN DUBLIN.

## CASE FOR EXEMPTION: IRISH SUPPLIES.

It would appear that a compromise may be reached in respect to the new bottle-tax in the Free State.

In response to a request by the users of bottles and glass-containers to Mr. Blythe for an interview to place before him the case for the amelioration of the proposed new duty of 33⅓ per cent. upon imported empty glass bottles and jars, a meeting was convened and held last Saturday by the Ministry of Industry and Commerce (acting on behalf of Mr. Blythe) between the Irish Amalgamated Bottle Manufacturers and the delegates of the various Dublin bottle-using trades.

**MANUFACTURERS' PROMISE.**

The Amalgamated Irish Bottle Makers promised supplies of all bottles required by the mineral water, pickle, jam, confectionery, wine, beer, whiskey, medicine, coffee essence, ink and milk trades within the coming three to six months, the bottles to be of the following colours—viz., white flint glass, green, blue, and amber—and to be of a quality and finish as good as those at present imported and at prices not exceeding those of the English Bottle Combine.

**PROPOSED EXEMPTIONS.**

It was decided by both sides that a case was made for the exemption of tax upon—

Mineral Water Syphons,
Milk Bottles,
Cut Glass Bottles,
Babies' Feeding Bottles.

The Wholesale Bottlers agreed to accept the guarantees of the Bottle Manufacturers on condition that the glass bottles and jar-containers of all incoming filled goods be taxed at the uniform rate of ninepence per dozen irrespective of size.

**DRAWBACK.**

The claims for drawback on various goods when exported in containers upon which duty has been paid are left over for further consideration, as well as claims by the confectionery trade for exemption of show bottles.

That this settlement is considered fair is explained (says Mr. F. O'Brien, of Messrs. O'Brien and Co., who communicates the above information), in the following quotation from the Bottle Users' letter to Mr. Blythe:—

"We realise that if a supply of home manufactured bottles were available, and that the proposed duty on empty bottles was also placed on the containers of imported filled goods, the Finance Act would be some protection to the Saorstat manufacturers and bottlers, provided such bottles and containers could be made within the Saorstat. On the other hand, if a duty is not proposed to be levied on the glass containers of imported goods, the new duties you propose will be a bounty to importers of goods in bottles and jars, thereby placing them in a much more advantageous position than their home competitors—a situation which we view with anxiety."

The all-round incidence of the tax (adds Mr. O'Brien) will relieve the anxiety of home bottlers.

## STATE SHIPPING.

### EX-SENATOR'S PROPOSAL.

*NEW YORK (By Mail.)*

Mr. William M. Calder, a former Senator, speaking at a Propellor Club luncheon, said that the Government had wasted a billion and a half dollars on the construction of shipping after the Armistice, and was now operating at a loss; which implied no commensurate benefit to American shippers.

He urged a united effort to have incorporated in the new tax law this winter a provision exempting from all Federal income taxes the profits of a company operating American vessels, when about 50 per cent. of those profits were invested in the building of ships.

At the same time, they should agitate for the sale of all Government-owned ships and get the industry back into the hands of private ownership.—(Reuter.)

## POLA NEGRI'S JEWELS.

### FAILURE TO MAKE CUSTOMS DECLARATION.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

*NEW YORK, Sunday.*

Miss Pola Negri, the film star, has been summoned to appear before the American Customs authorities to-morrow to explain the non-declaration of jewellery valued at 300,000 francs. The actress arrived from Europe on Friday on the Berengaria from her European trip.

Miss Negri explained her neglect to declare the jewels by the fact that on her previous entrances to the United States she was an alien, and did not know that the application for her first naturalisation papers had changed her status.

## PRINCE GEORGE OF SERBIA.

### REPORTED SERIOUS ILLNESS.

*BELGRADE, Sunday.*

A *communiqué* issued from the Premier's office states that the health of Prince George is such that he has to be placed under the surveillance of a doctor. A place of residence will be assigned him, where he will be able to live in the conditions prescribed by his doctor.—(Reuter.)

## WEIR HOUSE CRITICS.

### BAD FOR BUILDER AND TENANT.

Mr. R. Coppock, the General Secretary of the National Federation of Building Trade Operatives, speaking at a conference of representatives of municipal bodies and trade unions on the housing question, at Wakefield last Saturday, said that he had been charged with being very angry because he had felt it to be his duty to criticise the Weir houses.

If local authorities were content with the type of house which would cost two shillings a week more rent than a brick house, owing to depreciation being more rapid, that was their own affair.

The chief thing that they had to say against Lord Weir was that he attempted to superimpose upon the building industry a rate of wages which would not keep body and soul together.

It had been claimed in some quarters that the Weir house was æsthetic. The only æsthetic thing about it was the paint. When the body of steel had rusted away the paint, it was stated, would still hold it together. (Laughter.) Workers' houses, to their shame be it said, were the worst type of building in this country. If it was a question of building a prison, a workhouse, an asylum, or a town hall, first-class material was specified, but in the case of workers' houses it did not matter at all.

He submitted that the problem of housing could not be solved by alternative methods, and he was altogether opposed to fortunes being made by Lord Weir or anybody else out of the people's necessity.

## CANADIAN CANOEIST IN ITALY.

*CIVITA VECCHIA, Sunday.*

Lieutenant Smythe, the Canadian canoeist, arrived here this afternoon, and was welcomed by local sportsmen. He is leaving to-morrow along the Tiber for Rome.—(Reuter.)

# "THE SIMPLE WAR LORD."

## GROWING POPULARITY OF HINDENBURG.

## FURNISHING THE PALACE.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

*BERLIN, Sunday.*

Hindenburg's private apartments in the Presidential palace, when contrasted with the public rooms, will afford a remarkable parallel with the personal and official convictions of the veteran Field Marshal, who, on May 12, becomes Germany's second President.

I learn that the old soldier has changed his mind, and is bringing up his own personal belongings from Hanover to furnish the eight rooms making up the Presidential home.

In the study, which will house the old desk and shabby leather chairs from Hanover, there will hang a large autograph picture of ex-Kaiser Wilhelm. Other souvenirs of war times and many trappings of the old Monarchy will find places in these rooms.

The public apartments, including the vast reception halls and official workrooms, will remain exactly as they did under President Ebert.

The inauguration ceremony on May 12 in the Reichstag will be a very simple one. After conferring on these details with Councillor Meissner, the former President's adviser, Hindenburg yesterday came out strongly for simplicity, and the ceremony, according to Hindenburg's expressed wishes, will be of the simplest possible character.

It is just this simplicity of Hindenburg that promises to make him one of Germany's greatest post-war idols.

In the short week since his election he has made tremendous strides towards real popularity with the Republican as well as the Democratic elements.

His decision to review the *Reichsbanner* troops, while refusing to officiate at the parade of the Monarchist *Stahlhelm*, has made a deep impression in all circles. When he bids farewell to Hanover on May 7 many of his political opponents will have a big part in the parade in his honour.

It is interesting to note that the attacks against Hindenburg have ceased in all newspapers, except in the Communist *Rote Fahne*. There is a growing feeling of implicit trust in the old soldier.

Those to whom Hindenburg was the greatest hero during the dark hours of the war, are convinced that Hindenburg will now keep his oath to remain true to the Republic.

# ALLIED WARNING TO BALKAN STATES.

## BULGARIA AND SERBIA TO KEEP THE PEACE.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

*SOFIA, Saturday.*

The warning sent by Signor Mussolini to Belgrade to keep the peace has been followed by an energetic Allied *démarche*. The British, American, French, and Italian Ministers to Belgrade have made a collective call upon the Serbian Foreign Office and insisted that Bulgaria and Serbia shall bury the hatchet and establish a united front against the Bolshevik offensive in the Balkans.

Ministers of the same Powers in Sofia made a similar demand to the Bulgarian Government, the American Minister acting, unofficially, in both cases.

As a result of this energetic action the Bulgarian Government has informed the Serbian Government that it never "suspected that the Serbian Government or any of its official branches prepared or perpetrated the recent terrorist acts in Bulgaria," although the Bulgarian Government firmly insists that Serbia has been sheltering about twelve hundred Bulgarian Communists and extreme Agrarians, through whom Moscow has carried out all recent terrorist acts in Bulgaria.

The Serbian Government officially announces that all the Bulgarian Communists and Agrarian exiles who have been living along the Bulgarian frontier will be sent to the interior of the country.

These courtesies temporarily smooth over the bitter feud between Bulgaria and Serbia over Macedonia, which dates back to the Balkan wars.

## UNITED STATES AND UNEMPLOYMENT.

### CANADA CONTRASTED.

*OTTAWA (By Mail.)*

During the course of a debate in the House of Commons on the question of unemployment, quotations were made from an article in the New York *Times*, giving relative world-wide unemployment figures.

Attacks on the present Canadian administration by the Opposition have been largely based on adverse comparisons of Canada with the United States. The oft-repeated cry has been that America is a highly protected country, and, therefore, there is no unemployment; Canada has her gates wide open to the detriment of her people.

The figures given by the New York *Times* article go to show, however, that the United States is in a very considerably worse position than Canada with regard to unemployment. The figures were:—

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| United States population | 110,000,000 |
| Unemployed | 2,100,000 |
| Canada—Population | 9,000,000 |
| Unemployed | 10,000 |

It was admitted in the debate that the Canadian figure might have been slightly underestimated.

Great Britain has, according to the *Times*, the worst unemployment situation in the world, Austria coming second and the United States third. The countries least afflicted in this way are France and Finland. The figures are all based on comparative populations.—(Reuter.)

## AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION

### OPENINGS IN CANADA FOR TOWN-BRED BOYS.

*WINNIPEG (By Mail.)*

In an interview here Mr. John L. Paton, Headmaster of Manchester Grammar School for nineteen years, said:—

"A British lad, with an agricultural bent, who wants to get on in life, must, generally speaking, look overseas for his advancement, and in Canada he will find an ideal country to settle in, and one full of endless possibilities."

Mr. Paton has been instrumental in sending many town-bred boys to Canada, who have done splendidly on the land, and he is in favour of such boys, after finishing their secondary school course, being sent at once to work on a farm in Canada.

"It will, of course, be a help to them to know the rudiments of farming before they leave the old country," he said, "but if they have agriculture in their bones they will soon pick up farming out here, and will be able to take a course in an agricultural college after learning something of local conditions on a farm. If a young fellow wishes to get on he can do so in this country."

Mr. Paton referred to the large sums spent on education in Canada and to the great possibilities of learning open to virtually all. "It is wonderful," he said, "to think that twenty dollars a head of population was spent last year in Saskatchewan on education, while only seven dollars was similarly dealt with in England. Results have already been great, but as time goes on they will be greater."—(Reuter.)

## PRIVATE CAPITAL AGAIN.

*MOSCOW, Sunday.*

The Government will submit to the All Russian Congress of Soviets, which opens on May 8th, certain amendments and additions to the Russian constitution, including an article granting the right to Soviet and foreign citizens, and joint stock companies, to apply private capital to the development of the economic resources of Russia.—(Reuter.)

# LATE NEWS.

## GOLD STANDARD.

### REPLY TO LABOUR'S OBJECTIONS.

To-day the second reading of the Gold Standard Bill will be taken. Commenting upon the motion for the rejection of the Bill, which has been tabled by the Labour Party, in the name of Mr. Snowden, *The Times* observes that it does not challenge the policy of restoring the gold standard. When they were in office, the Labour Party definitely approved the policy; they can scarcely repudiate it at so short notice. It will be observed that they now complain of the undue "precipitancy" with which the return to gold is being made.

The report of the Treasury Committee, upon which the Government's decision was based, contains a convincing answer to this allegation of undue precipitancy. The committee point out that the difference between the British and American price levels has been reduced to very modest proportions, and that failure to return to gold at the moment generally expected would cause a reaction in the Sterling Exchange and postpone indefinitely the opportunity which a number of factors, material and psychological, have lately created for returning to a free gold market and fixity of exchange. On the published figures, the difference between American and British gold prices is not wide, and owing to difference of weighting, it may be less than it appears to be. The committee definitely express the opinion that they do not anticipate a heavy drain of gold, or a serious restriction of credit.

Abroad, adds *The Times*, the announcement of the Government's decision has had a most salutary effect, and the Press of all countries has referred, in terms of admiration, to the conduct of British finance, which permits of the return to gold within seven years of the termination of the war. Some critics imagine that American machinations are responsible for the Government's decision. There is no foundation for such a belief. Undeniably, it is in the interests of America that Great Britain and other countries should return to the gold standard, and we have the assurance of her help if we need it; but it cannot be too clearly understood that it is out of consideration for our own interests, and not those of the United States, or any other country, that this country is returning to an international basis for its currency.

## RIFI ATTACK ON THE FRENCH.

### SITUATION WELL IN HAND.

Telegraphing from Robar, *The Times* Correspondent says:—The inevitable has happened, and the withdrawal last autumn of the Spanish forces towards the coast has enabled Abdel Krim, now that he is relieved from the stress of fighting towards the North, to invade the French zone. To-day, to all intents and purposes, he is at war with France.

It was towards the middle of April that small bands of Riffs began filtering southwards, almost unperceived, between the French posts, stirring up the tribes to revolt. It was in the country of the Beni Zerual tribe, about 50 miles north of Fez, that the first acts of open hostility took place. Villages were burned, and the Derkawi Shereef, the principal adherent of the French Protectorate in the district, and a firm friend of France, was attacked and obliged to take refuge with Protectorate troops. In some cases the houses of his followers were pillaged, and they were massacred, while in others, from fear of reprisals, they were forced to join Abdel Krim's contingents, and fight against the French. Numerous hostages were taken from among them and sent into the Rif.

The French authorities, adds the Correspondent, are well aware of the seriousness of the situation, which, however, now seems to be well in hand. It must be remembered that all this is taking place well inside French Protectorate territory, to the south of the frontier of the Spanish zone, in country where the French are responsible for the security, life and property of the inhabitants, many of whom have been forced by Abdel Krim's reprisals and menaces to revolt, while many others have been pillaged or massacred.

## GERMANY AND SECURITY.

### EFFECTS OF HINDENBURG'S ELECTION.

*The Times* Berlin Correspondent, in a message last night, says:—Both the Centre Party and the Socialists have put down questions in the Reichstag asking the Government for a declaration as to its intentions with regard to foreign policy, especially in connection with the evacuation of Cologne and the Security Pact. It is probable, however, that no statement will be made before the estimates for the Foreign Ministry come up for discussion during the week, beginning May 11th. It is generally realised that the whole question of security, and with it disarmament and the evacuation of the Northern Zone, has suffered a postponement that amounts to a serious set-back. This was plainly hinted at in the Chancellor's speech delivered to the Trades and Industrial Congress last week, and it is not now expected that any further steps will be taken before June.

In the *Vossische Zeitung* to-day Herr Georg Bernhard ascribes this delay in negotiating, with its consequent delay of evacuation, to the election of Field-Marshal Von Hindenburg as President. He observes that the supporters of Hindenburg may possibly be right in asserting that a peace pact with Hindenburg's signature would have greater value in the eyes of foreign Governments than one bearing the signature of some other President. But they forget that the pact which is ultimately signed will contain additional demands for security, put in by foreign Chauvinists, simply because Hindenburg was elected. It will, in fact, contain, as has several times been pointed out in other quarters, the price that Germany will pay for the victory of the United Right in the Presidential campaign.

## SOCIALISTS AND THE BUDGET.

### "THE GROSSEST HYPOCRISY."

The *Daily Telegraph*, referring to the Budget, which, it says, the Socialist Party have erroneously termed a "rich man's Budget," says:—If the insurance proposals were not placed on a contributory basis, then, indeed, the burden thrown upon industry would be colossal and crushing. It follows that for the Socialist leaders to complain that the Budget is casting a new burden upon industry, instead of lightening the existing ones, is the grossest hypocrisy. If they had the chance they would fling the whole cost upon the direct taxpayer. This Budget is the first of the new progressive Unionism, not so much "Labourised," in Mr. Clynes's ugly phrase, as democratised in the true spirit of those who founded the new Tory democracy of forty years ago.

### NO TORY REVOLT.

The *Morning Post*, referring, in a leading article, to criticisms of the Budget, says:—There is no "Tory revolt," nor is it likely that the new insurance scheme will be dropped, considering that Mr. Baldwin and his party are pledged to it. Such exaggerations amount to misrepresentation. For our part, we have no objection, in principle, to the insurance scheme. When Mr. Lloyd George introduced his scheme of industrial insurance we supported it as a measure of relief to workers sorely harassed by the uncertainties of our Free Trade system, although we have contended that to protect the workers of an industry, before protecting the industry itself, is to put the cart before the horse. In the present case there are industries where it is manifestly impossible for the employers to pay for this scheme as it stands.

## LORD MILNER'S CONDITION.

It is stated that there has been an improvement in the condition of Lord Milner, who is lying ill at his residence, Sturry Court, near Canterbury. Dr. Farquhar Buzzard, Dr. E. C. Moon and Dr. E. D. Whitehead-Reid are in attendance on Lord Milner.

The following bulletin was issued yesterday:—"Lord Milner passed a good night, and the improvement is maintained."

Prayers were offered for his lordship in Canterbury Cathedral yesterday.

# U.S. RUSH TO EUROPE.

## 200,000 TOURISTS EXPECTED.

## £100,000,000

## TO BE SPENT IN GREAT BRITAIN AND FRANCE.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

*NEW YORK, Saturday.*

The great American tourist rush has commenced. No fewer than nine Atlantic liners sailed to-day for Europe, carrying thousands of spring tourists to Great Britain, France, Italy, and Switzerland.

Advance bookings at the offices of all the steamship lines indicate that 1925 will set a record for the number of Americans who will visit Europe.

It is estimated that 200,000 Americans will go to Europe during the summer months alone.

Bankers and financial agents in New York record a heavy demand for foreign currencies for the use of tourists travelling to England and France.

It is estimated by some of these experts that five hundred million dollars will be spent in Great Britain and France during the present year.

# COMMUNIST PLOTS.

## STATEMENT BY THE HOME SECRETARY.

Sir William Joynson-Hicks, the British Home Secretary, made the following statement to the *Sunday Times* last Saturday night emphasising the need for greater public realisation of the spread of Communist propaganda:—

"I have been asked whether I wish to reconsider in any way the speech I delivered at the Primrose League meeting last Thursday.

"There is no need for that at all; for I am satisfied of the existence in Europe of a definite effort emanating directly from Moscow to enforce Communistic ideas and propaganda into every country, even, if necessary, by riot, almost, I might have said, by revolution; but that at the moment is too strong a word. Yet ultimately that is precisely what the Bolshevists intend.

"It is most clearly the aim of the Communists in this country to subvert the existing order of things. This definite object on the part of a political party, however small in actual numbers, has been very carefully considered by the Government, and by myself as the Minister responsible for home affairs.

"Almost daily I receive and consider reports of Communist activities in the country, and I feel that if more people read Bolshevist literature, they would be more fully alive to the real aim of these people.

"You ask me, knowing these facts, what steps I am taking. Forgive me if I say that that is not a question I can, or ought to, answer.

"The responsibility for maintaining the Constitution is part of the general responsibility of the Government, and all I will say is this—that we are fully cognisant of the state of affairs, and will take such steps as are necessary for protection."

## BOMB EXPLODES.

### SUSPECTED BOLSHEVIST PLOT IN WARSAW.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.

*WARSAW, Sunday.*

There was an explosion this morning in the club of the Independent Peasant Party, a small and very radical group, strongly inclined towards the Bolshevists—though they emphatically deny this. The editor of the party newspaper was wounded.

It is alleged that he was making a bomb. In the same room a large quantity of perdite, a powerful explosive, was found. The club is situated in the vicinity of the Cathedral, where to-day, in celebration of the beginning of the national holiday, an official Service will be held, attended by the entire official world, and there are good grounds for suspecting that an outrage similar to that at Sofia was planned.

## NINE SEAMEN DROWNED.

*DETROIT, Sunday.*

Nine seamen were drowned when a small American steamer, employed in harbour improvement work, overturned in a heavy sea in Lake Erie, near Leamington, Canada. Vessels that were at hand rescued seven of the crew.—(Reuter.)

## RESIGNATION OF GOVERNOR OF BANK OF FRANCE.

*PARIS, Sunday.*

The *Petit Parisien* learns that M. Robineau, Governor of the Bank of France, has again asked to be relieved of his post, and that it is probable his resignation will be accepted.—(Reuter.)

## DISTINGUISHED INVALIDS.

The Earl of Ypres is still doing well.

Lord Leverhulme had a fairly comfortable night, and is going on as well as could be expected.

The Duke of Portland has undergone a minor operation, and is progressing satisfactorily. He is, however, advised not to undertake any public duties in the immediate future.

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# CANCER PROBLEM.

## WORK OF THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

*GENEVA (By Mail).*

At the session of the Health Committee of the League of Nations just concluded, a brief report on the position of the inquiries in which the Cancer Commission of that body is engaged was submitted and approved.

In an interview on the work done, Sir George Buchanan, Chairman of the Commission, said:—"The Commission is not investigating the problem of cancer at large, but only, so far, a single very limited problem which, however, can only be elucidated by a joint effort of the official health authorities of selected countries. This problem is the cancer death rate, and, in particular, the death rate from certain specified causes of cancer.

"For some of these forms the difference in mortality between countries is very great; being, for example, twice as great in England as in Holland or Italy. It would seem probable, at first sight, that by assembling medical and statistical experts from these countries, and by getting them to table their information and compare notes, the main causes of these differences would very quickly emerge. This would be so, if we were dealing, let us say, with the differences of mortality from diseases like typhoid fever or pneumonia.

"The Commission has to deal, however, with a disease, which is not sensibly influenced by any general sanitary or preventative measures, or controllable by specific measures of prevention or cure, such as vaccination or serum treatment. It has, therefore, had to explore all kinds of different supposition, rejecting them one by one, or reserving them for further study, and for corroboration from other countries. Mortality rates are notoriously difficult to compare between one country and another. Obviously, if in one country there is a fairly accurate system of registering deaths due to cancer, and in another cancer deaths are recorded in such a way that they are not entered up in the cancer death returns, a great difference in cancer mortalities may be made to appear, while it is one which is merely an expression of artificial circumstances—the actual amount of cancer may be the same, though the official figures may be widely divergent.

MANY POINTS EXAMINED.

"The Commission has given much time and labour to establishing, to its satisfaction, that it is a reality, and not an artifice, which they are investigating. Next, the countries taken have had to be compared point by point to eliminate or to establish explanations which had to receive serious consideration. Cancer, being a disease of middle-age or old age, the relative number of elder persons in risk of cancer in the different countries has had to be worked out. Similarly, special enquiries have been made into (particularly important in the case of cancer of women) whether there are substantial differences between the populations concerned in the fertility rate, in the married, as compared to the unmarried, or in the practice of nursing the children or feeding them artificially. Many points like these have been taken and explored.

"Next has come the explanation that early and appropriate surgical treatment, constituting for practical purposes the cure of cancer, is more common in one country than another. It is understood that the Commission, after an exhaustive study of this aspect of the question in England, Holland, and Italy, has had to reject this explanation, and to record that, unfortunately, in all these countries women affected by cancer in its early stages, when it is most hopeful to operate, do not obtain the surgical aid which they ought to do.

"In continuing its investigations, the Commission is now dealing specially with the supposition that the amount of cancer in different civilised countries may be the same, but that the degree of malignancy may be different, and also with an important series of hypotheses based on racial difference and its significance. From this point of view, studies are being undertaken in certain regions where people of different civilised races are living together in a single region under otherwise similar conditions.

"The United States public health service has, in this connection, decided to help the Commission by investigating in the larger cities of the United States which have mixed populations, and an enquiry of the same nature is in train regarding the parts of Switzerland where the inhabitants are essentially different in race.

"A progress report is in preparation, which will give an account of the several investigations above outlined."—(Reuter.)

# £210,000 DEATH DUTIES.

## RACEHORSE OWNER'S ESTATE.

Duties amounting to about £210,000 are payable on the estate of Mr. Alfred Straker, Knossington Grange, Oakham, Rutland, who left property valued at £678,269, with net personalty £659,225. Mr. Straker, who was killed while hunting, was a partner in the firm of Messrs. Straker and Love, colliery owners and fitters, Newcastle-on-Tyne, and a well-known owner and breeder of racehorses. He bred Re-Echo, the winner of the Cambridgeshire in 1922.

Among many bequests were:—£5,000 to Dr. Barnardo's Homes; £5,000 to the Church of England Incorporated Society for Providing Homes for Waifs and Strays; £1,000 to each the Y.M.C.A., London, and the "Wellesley" Training Ship Institution for Homeless Boys, Tynemouth; £500 each to his stud groom, George Home, and his butler-valet, George Charsley, if respectively still in his service, and other sums to other servants; to his trainer, Dobson Peacock, of Middleham, Yorks, his thoroughbred mare, Ponteland and foal; all his steeplechase horses in training, and all his mares and young stock at the Ballynoe Stud Farm, Ballingarry, Co. Limerick, he left to his nephew, John (Ian) Allgood Straker; and all his flat race horses in training and such of his hunters as shall not be selected by his wife to his brother Frederic. He gave £1,000 each to his friends, Lieut.-Gen. Sir Bryan Mahon, Colonel John McKie, of Castle Douglas, and Mr. W. T. Lendrum, Caius College, Cambridge.

BANANA TRADE CONTROLLER.

Mr. Andrew Woodbury Preston, of Atlanta avenue, Swampscott, Massachusetts, known as "The Banana King," Chairman of Messrs. Elders and Fyffes, Ltd., and President of the United Fruit Co., of Boston, America, and the virtual controller of the banana trade, who died on September 26 last, aged 78 years, left, exclusive of property in America and other countries, personal estate in England of the net value of £11,760 14s. 10d. He left 100,000 dollars for an "Andrew W. Preston Charity Fund," of which the net income is to be applied in providing assistance, care, and hospital service for persons convalescing from sickness, who, in the opinion of his trustees, are worthy of such; 1,000 dollars to each servant in his personal service at his death if five years' service, with a further 100 dollars for each year of service in excess of five.

BELFAST DECORATOR'S ESTATE.

Mr. James McCormick, of 118 Joy street, Belfast, retired painter and decorator, who died on January 29 last, left personal estate in Northern Ireland and Great Britain valued at £9,555. He left £100 to the Roman Catholic Diocesan Orphanage Society of Down and Connor; £100 to the Mater Hospital, Belfast; £50 to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul attached to St. Malachy's Church, Belfast; £50 to the Parish Priest of St. Malachy's, for Masses, and £50 to the Parish Priest of Crossgar, for Masses.

THE LATE LADY O'CONNELL.

Dame Mary O'Connell, of The Stratford Club, Stratford place, W., and of Ard Einin, Killiney, Co. Dublin, who died on February 17 last, wife of Sir John Robert O'Connell, solicitor, of 34 Kildare street, Dublin, left estate in England of the gross value of £142. She died inestate, and letters of administration of her property have been granted to her husband.

### CRUELTY TO ANIMALS SOCIETY.

At the weekly meeting of the Committee of the Dublin Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals six cases were reported by the inspectors during the week—two to be summoned, two to be cautioned, one postponed for further consideration, and on one no order was made. The following subscriptions were received:—M. G. Longfield, 5/-; Miss B. Longfield, 5/-; W. J. Evans, 5/-; Miss Woolcombe, £1 1/-; "Donegal," £1; Messrs. Knowles and Son, 10/-. Collections—Miss F. E. A. Bermingham, £2 10/3; Miss L. Fitzmaurice, 17/-; R. J. Clarke, 7/7; Miss O. Johnson, £2 12/6.

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# ROYAL ACADEMY BANQUET.

## PAINTING AND CABINET-MAKING.

## SEA, LAND, AND AIR SERVICES.

A brilliant company, which included the Duke of York, assembled at Burlington House, London, last Saturday night, for the Royal Academy banquet. Sir Frank Dicksee, the President, was in the chair, and proposed the loyal toasts.

The Prime Minister, replying to the toast of His Majesty's Ministers, observed that he would like to tell them something of the difficulties of a Prime Minister's life. "I reflected when I was making my Cabinet, he remarked, that I should have to appear to-night in Burlington House, and I thought the greatest compliment I could pay to the Academy would be to include a painter in the Cabinet. He explained that he referred to Mr. Churchill, and he added that when he secured his artist he had to decide where to put him, and, finally, he thought that the position for him was where he would have to deal with problems of currency and mathematics. He added that there were many points of resemblance between artists and politicians. Neither of them could be said to belong to organised Labour. What power had they to strike? There was one way in which artists had a great advantage. When they had completed a piece of work, and did not like it, they could put their foot through it. With politicians, the boot was on the other foot. Advice had been offered to the artists of this country to make a clean sweep of the Academy. He reminded them that, whilst the Academy had remained without any great change during the last four years, there had been a clean sweep of three Governments, and they had a fourth in, and people were not satisfied.

MR. CHURCHILL'S PICTURES.

The Earl of Birkenhead, responding, stated that he was interested in hearing from his leader, the Prime Minister, that, having decided who was to be Chancellor of the Exchequer, he had very carefully considered what artistic contributions could be made by any of the possible competitors for that post. He was quite certain that the Prime Minister had never examined his (Lord Birkenhead's) own efforts. Mr. Baldwin quite hurriedly, and very rashly, assumed that the only possible competitor for the post of Chancellor of the Exchequer was one who had painted certain pictures. "I," said Lord Birkenhead, "have examined the pictures of the Chancellor of the Exchequer very carefully. He has been kind enough to give me two of them, and he has informed me, although I do not believe him, that anonymously, without his name, he had sold four of them for £30 each at the Paris Exhibition." (Loud laughter.)

Mr. Bridgeman, First Lord of the Admiralty, acknowledging the toast of the Imperial Forces, on behalf of the Royal Navy, mentioned that since the war, from cruisers downwards, there had been 344 or 345 ships laid down by the five Great Powers. Out of that number only eleven had been laid down by this country.

EDUCATION OF OFFICERS.

The Earl of Cavan, Chief of the Imperial General Staff, replied on behalf of the Army. He referred to the grievous loss that the Army had suffered in the death of Lord Rawlinson. As regards the men, he continued, they were successfully developing training centres at Hounslow and Catterick, and he believed that this scheme was considered wise by all parties. No man need be discharged from the Army ignorant of a trade, but education of the officers lay greatly with themselves. He looked forward to a time when it should be allowable for commanding officers to make a grant from the annual training allowance to a couple of young officers to travel every year.

He was certain they would reap a great reward in expanded vision and keener interest. Tours of Empire could come later, but come they should, to those who had fitted themselves for the privilege. They had as fine and loyal a set of officers now as they ever had had, eager to learn, proud of their heritage, and who would thankfully welcome such a change as he had outlined.

Referring to this year's manœuvres, Lord Cavan said that it was the earnest endeavour of the Army Council not to waste the taxpayers' money, but to get value for every penny of the grant they had obtained for the manœuvres. He was glad to say that Marshal Petain and General Debeney, Chief of the Staff in France, had accepted invitations to be present.

"Our Regular Army," he said, "is necessarily limited in size, and must ensure, therefore, that what we may lose in quantity must be more than made good in quality, and that our Army may be the most highly trained, the most scientifically equipped, and the most competently commanded force that it is humanly possible to place in the field. Above all, we must realise the imperative necessity for co-operation between the three fighting Services. The forces of the land, air and sea must act in organic unity; they are three members of a team, and as long as they work as a team they will be a hard combination to tackle. Each is essential to the other, and any exaggerated claims of what one can do alone without the others cannot be too strongly deprecated."

HIGHWAY OF THE AIR.

One of the most interesting speeches of the evening was delivered by Sir Samuel Hoare, Secretary for Air, who gave an account of his recent visit to Iraq. That the air is becoming a great imperial highway is shown, he said, by the fact that in a few weeks we have made by air a journey which would otherwise have taken twelve months. We have traversed Iraq from end to end; we have visited the mountains of Kurdistan, and the Persian plains, through which the British pipe-line brings oil for the use of the Fleet; we have stayed in Trans-Jordania, Palestine and Egypt, and have had the opportunity of inspecting almost every British activity, military and civil, in these distant and often inaccessible countries.

The Duke of York, responding to the toast of the Queen and the Royal Family, said:—To most of us, the event of peculiar importance in the world of Art during the past year was the retirement of your late President, and the appointment of his successor, whom we are so glad to see in the presidential chair to-night. Unquestionably, Sir Aston Webb was the recipient of a noteworthy tribute when the Royal Academy departed from its time-honoured custom by choosing an architect as its president. The Duke, after referring to the career of Sir Frank Dicksee, tendered his sympathy to the whole world of Art in the loss of Mr. Sargent.

# A STRONG PROTEST.

## PROPOSED DIVERSION OF DUBLIN-CORK ROAD.

A deputation, representative of all classes of people in the towns of Cashel, Cahir, Thurles, Urlingford, Johnstown, Durrow, Maryborough, Abbeyleix, Mountrath, Monasterevan and Kildare, waited upon Mr. Burke, Minister for Local Government, last Friday, for the purpose of protesting against the proposed diversion of the main road from Dublin to Cork, via the above towns.

The deputation was introduced by Mr. William Davin, T.D., and was accompanied by Mr. D. Morrissey, T.D., and Senator McEvoy. Mr. Davin stated that a proposal such as that suggested, from an engineering and economic point of view, could hardly be justified.

The case for the retention of the present route was put forward by Dean Ryan, Cashel; Dean Talbot, Cashel; R. J. McDonnell, Urlingford; P. J. Meehan, State Solicitor, Maryborough; E. F. C. Mercier, Durrow; Mr. F. Burke, Kildare, and others.

Mr. Burke stated that the road policy of his department was, at the present moment, receiving very careful consideration, and that the claims of the deputation would, no doubt, be taken into consideration by the Roads Advisory Board. He stated that many rumours which had been circulated were without any foundation, but when definite decisions were arrived at, national, rather than local, considerations would be bound to weigh with himself and his advisers in matters of this kind.

The Board of Governors of the Masonic Female Orphan School will meet at the Schoolhouse, Ballsbridge, on to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock. Breakfast at 8.30.

# THE PRINCE'S TOUR.

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town Naval Volunteers. The Prince lunched at Admiralty House.

The Prince in the evening was present at a crowded reception held in the Town Hall.—(Reuter.)

## A WHITE TRAIN.

### ARRANGEMENTS FOR PRINCE'S TOUR.

Two long trains, both painted white, were shunted into Capetown Railway Station this afternoon. One is for the Royal party, and the other for the Press and a few officials. They make an impressive sight standing majestically side by side. A great South African railway arms is painted in the centre of each of the coach-bodies. Every effort has obviously been made for the comfort of the official party.

The Prince of Wales has a small saloon, beautifully upholstered in Royal blue. It contains a dainty "loud-speaker," fashioned like a platter, exceedingly thin and brown in colour. At first glance it appears to be a complete chased ornament. His Royal Highness's study adjoins the saloon. The sleeping compartment contains a replica of a liner's bunk, standing quite three feet from the floor.

Every member of the Royal staff has a whole coach to himself, and every Press representative has one four-berth compartment to himself.

The whole of the arrangements augur well for the comfort of all, although there is not much room for baggage, as the accommodation is naturally rather cell-like. A complete broadcasting service will be received every day, which will include Reuter's nightly bulletin.

# STAGE AND SCREEN.

## DUBLIN PROGRAMMES.

"The Merry Widow," originally produced at Daly's Theatre in 1907, and revived in recent years at the same theatre, the company afterwards going on tour, and then appearing at the Lyceum Theatre for some months, will be seen at the Gaiety Theatre, Dublin, this week, with George Graves, who needs no introduction to a Dublin audience, as Baron Popoff. Among those supporting Mr. Graves will be Miss Olga Chester, Mr. Evan Thomas and Mr. W. H. Rawlins. Miss Flora Courtenay is appearing as Frou-Frou. There will be a matinée on Saturday at 2.30 o'clock.

"The Honeymoon Girl" revue forms the programme at the Theatre Royal. The leading comedy part will be filled by George Carney, who will have the support of Barbara Babington, described as "The Gladys Cooper of Vaudeville." Others in the cast are Reginald Andrews and Billy Rex. Some of the songs were composed by Herman Darewski.

"Hop Scotch" is the title of the revue to be performed at the Olympia Theatre. The company will include Carr and Finch, comedians, and the Eight College Girls.

A revue, "Served Hot," has been engaged also by the management of the Queen's Theatre. It is a combination of singing, dancing and comedy, and comprises sixteen scenes, including a County Club, Tea Garden, "Somewhere in Japan," and a Beauty Parlour.

CINEMAS.

Jacqueline Logan and Antonio Moreno appear in "Flaming Barriers" at La Scala Theatre.

A version of Einstein's theory of Relativity will also be shown. It is intended to convey that Time stretches and shrinks; that Size means nothing; that Space is bent; and that the Past is in the Future.

"The Only Woman," in which the leading actress is Norma Talmadge, has been secured by the Metropole Cinema. Its chief attractions are ship-wreck scenes, in the filming of which it is said that Norma Talmadge narrowly escaped being swept into the sea. She, and several members of the company, suffered severely from exposure, and the risks that they undertook are claimed to have resulted in a very exciting story of the sea.

"Sinners in Silk," which deals with the rejuvenation theory of Dr. Steinach, the Viennese specialist, is to be shown at the Grafton Picture House. It tells how a society leader of other days becomes a Jazz enthusiast, and what happens in consequence. Eleanor Boardman depicts the typical modern girl and the heroine.

"The Moon of Israel" is being retained for another week at the Grand Central Cinema.

At the Carlton Cinema, "Flirting with Love," comprises the week's programme. The story concerns a stage "star," who plans revenge upon a lawyer, by ridiculing him in a play that he has written.

"The Age of Desire" will be shown at the Bohemian Picture House. Miss Galloway Rigg, contralto, has also been engaged.

At the Princess Cinema, Rathmines, "The Clean Heart" is to be shown. It is from the novel by A. S. M. Hutchinson.

The "Signal Tower" is the principal picture to be shown at the Sackville Picture House. Max Linder will also appear in "Max Goes to America."

# COTTON WAREHOUSE FIRE.

## FIREMEN OVERCOME BY SMOKE.

A Liverpool warehouse, containing 1,600 bales of Mexican cotton, the property of Messrs. John Rew and Company, was destroyed by fire last Saturday. Several firemen were temporarily overcome by the dense smoke, and one, Sergeant Conn, fell from the fire escape and broke his ankle.

BURNING LORRY STOPS TRAFFIC.

A motor lorry, the property of Messrs. Barclay, Perkins and Co., burst into flame in New Bridge street, a few yards from Ludgate Circus, London, E.C., last Saturday morning. Traffic at this busy spot was dislocated for some time while the firemen were engaged in extinguishing the blazing petrol.

# TESTATOR'S MENTALITY.

## LEGATEES' VIEWS AFFECTED BY BEQUESTS.

In a dispute at Leighton Buzzard County Court last Saturday over a woman's estate, Judge Staveley Hill said that he often found that the mental capacity of a deceased person was measured by what the beneficiaries received. If they got nothing, the person's mind had gone; but if they got most of the estate, they said, "What an extraordinary sound-minded person my grandfather was!"

# UNABLE TO READ.

## SEVEN ILLITERATES IN ESSEX POLICE COURT.

Five defendants—three married women and two men—besides two men witnesses, were unable to read the oath at Rochford, Essex, Police Court. None of the defendants had ever been to school, but the witnesses, both young men, declared that they had, but had forgotten all that they had learnt. One was asked by the Clerk to spell out and pronounce one of the words on the oath card, but he was unable to do so.

### IRISH ROAD CLUB HANDICAP.

The first members' fifty miles handicap of the season, promoted by the Irish road Club, was decided on Saturday over the usual out and home course to Navan and back, but, in order to avoid a portion of the main road which is at present in rather indifferent condition, the starting point was changed to Castleknock. The race resulted in a win for the scratchman, W. J. Finn, whose performance, following his fastest time in the open twenty-five miles a week previously, indicated that he is unusually fit for such an early period of the season. The times of the placed men were as follows:—1, W. J. Finn (scratch), 2 hours, 41 mins. 26 secs.; 2, T. D. Brangan (12 mins.), 2 hours, 49 mins. 28 secs.; 3, J. B. Ford (15 mins.), 2 hours, 59 mins. 50 secs.

With a view to keeping down expenditure, Chelmsford (Essex) Town Council have decided that no street lamps shall be lit except at principal street corners and on bridges from June 1 till August 15.

### NEW KNITWEAR MODELS.

Marleean is showing collection of distinctive Knitwear Suits and Coats from Paris for early summer wear. All these goods are offered daily free of duty as long as stocks last. Address: 114 Stephen's Green (continuation of Grafton street). (Advt.)

# ZEEBRUGGE PLAN IN MOROCCO.

## GANGWAYS FOR A LANDING PARTY.

## FRANCE HELPS SPAIN.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

*PARIS, Sunday.*

Preparations for a combined Franco-Spanish offensive against the Riffian rebels in Morocco are almost completed, and it is expected that the operations will begin before the end of this month.

French forces from Fez are already in action, moving along the Ouergha River from west to east to cut off the retreat of the various bands of Riffians under the leadership of Abd-el-Krim's brother, who have penetrated into the French zone from the Spanish protectorate.

Several skirmishes have already occurred, and serious losses have been suffered by the Riffians. The French assert that their casualties are almost exclusively among the native tribesmen supporting them.

The Quai d'Orsay announces that the French campaign does not envisage crossing the boundary into the Spanish protectorate, and that only such Riffians as find themselves in the French zone will be attacked.

The French campaign is expected to begin coincidentally with a big Spanish attack, when General Primo de Rivera will attempt to force a landing on the Moroccan mainland opposite Alhucemas and capture Ajdir, the headquarters of Abd-el-Krim.

Ships have already been purchased in England, and are being prepared for this exploit. Large doorways are being cut in the boats, and drawbridges similar to those made for the disembarkations at Gallipoli and Zeebrugge, are to be used.

The Spanish Fleet will support the operation with a gas bombardment of the Riffian position. With Abd-el-Krim splitting his forces and sending a large portion against the French in the South, General de Rivera expects to force a landing at Ajdir without difficulty.

It is realised that capture of Krim's headquarters would deal a heavy blow to the rebel leader, as he has connected telephone wires from the various fronts inside his line to his headquarters.

Material captured from the Spaniards has been used, and it would take a long while for the Riffians to collect more of this and to string the wires, if the headquarters were forced to move.

Political troubles over the Franco-Spanish military operations against the Riffians are already developing, with Italy sending a Note to the Quai d'Orsay insisting on her interest in the Moroccan question, and pointing out that she had already protested against her non-inclusion in the conference which settled the Tangiers *régime*.

The French Government points out, however, that Marshal Lyautey's forces in Morocco will not cross the boundary into the Spanish protectorate, and, therefore, the question is purely domestic for France.

# LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

## THE NEW TAXES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—One of the results of the new Free State Budget is that Customs duty at 15% is payable on clothes sent to a laundry. My washing was sent, as usual, to a laundry in Derry just before the new duties were imposed, and I am now asked to pay £3 to get it back. There is no laundry in the Free State, that I know of, within 150 miles, and, whatever may happen elsewhere in Ireland, we, in the extreme North of Donegal, who are shut in entirely by Northern Ireland, must either go unwashed or live by taking in one another's washing.

Derry is our only possible market, and we have now to pay duty on nearly all that we eat or wear. I have tried to support the Free State Government loyally and to remain in my ancestral home, although my house and all it contained were burned in 1922; but, between double income tax and poor rates at 10s. in the £ and Customs duties, it has been a difficult matter, and these new duties may be the last straw. I have been spending all my income (most of it earned elsewhere) in the Free State and carrying on a tillage farm, at a loss of three hundred a year, to give employment to six men and their families who would otherwise be destitute. This cannot go on indefinitely, and, if every industry, whether existing or problematic, in the Free State is to be protected at the expense of the consumers, no one of moderate means will be able to live—at any rate, in North Donegal.—Yours, etc.,

G. L. YOUNG.

Culdaff, Co. Donegal, May 2nd, 1925.

## THE SHANNON SCHEME.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The sweeping assertions of Mr. James Ginnell in your issue of Friday last with reference to "core-borings" cannot be allowed to pass unchallenged. That "the stuff brought up from the tubes is but a mix-up of the disintegrated material passed through" can be denied absolutely and without qualification. The writer will be pleased to demonstrate to Mr. Ginnell, or anyone else concerned, that in such work, carried out in a proper manner, no mixture of the core takes place. On the contrary, the samples taken accurately represent the ground passed through, and depths and thickness of strata are obtained to within an inch.

In the country whose engineering practice Mr. Ginnell justly admires—although at the same time he describes it as "unscientific"—many millions of good money have been ventured on the evidence of "core-boring." It is the only reliable and practical method of proving the thickness and quality of coal-seams at depth. In other prospecting work—alluvial gold, for example—where accuracy is the first consideration, similar methods are used and the results are found practically to coincide with the eventual "clean-up." The cost and time occupied are only fractional compared with sinking shafts. In wet ground, such as peaty deposits or running sand, where the shafts advocated by Mr. Ginnell would be impracticable and useless, this method may be employed with every success, and even "a small sand-vein" would not be missed. If shafts had to be sunk all over the sites of the proposed Shannon embankments, the cost of this preliminary work alone would be enormous.—Yours, etc.,

J. TURNBULL, M.I.M.E.,
Manager, Irish Boring Company, Ltd.
12 North Brunswick street, Dublin,
May 2nd, 1925.

## TOWN-PLANNING AT HASTINGS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I notice a little paragraph you published in your issue of the 27th *ultimo* on town-planning at Hastings and the need for preserving local amenities. It almost suggests that the local Town Council is not alive to the need for action on these lines. May I correct this misapprehension? The Council are carrying out a town-planning scheme, and for this purpose they have taken in a considerable area of land outside the borough. The area has been approved by the councils concerned, and has now been definitely defined by the Ministry of Health.

The object of the Council in their town-planning scheme will be to preserve the amenities of the surrounding districts within the area; but it is understood that the Commons and Footpaths Preservation Society consider that certain land along the cliffs beyond the town-planning area should be also preserved. The area cannot now be extended, and unless, therefore, the neighbouring district councils themselves prepare a town-planning scheme—which many think is most unlikely—it is not clear that any action can be taken. My Council have, at all events, done all they possibly can by considerably extending their area beyond the borough boundary. It seems a great pity that the beauty spots between Fairlight and Pett should be spoiled by the erection of dwellings, but Hastings is powerless in the matter.—Yours, etc.,

CHARLES WATNEY,
Hastings and St. Leonards Borough Association,
40 Havelock road, Hastings,
May 2nd, 1925.

# DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

## DUBLIN.

**Tribute to Dublin Musician.**—A concert was given in the Gregg Memorial Hall recently in honour of Mr. Frank P. Morris, on the occasion of his departure from Dublin. Mr. Morris was organist of St. Luke's Church for thirteen years, and until recently organist and choirmaster of St. Mary's Church. He was director of the Star Troupe, which entertained frequently for charity, for many years. During the complimentary concert Mr. Morris was presented with a wallet of bank notes and an illuminated address.

**21st Company, Boys' Brigade.**—The 21st Dublin Company of the Boys' Brigade held its 32nd annual inspection in the Parochial Hall, Belgrave square, Rathmines, last Thursday. Mr. Henry J. Millar, the inspecting officer, congratulated the company on the excellence of its work, and said that the fact that almost every branch of the company's work was directed by past members of the brigade was a most hopeful sign.

**Children's Matinée.**—"The Scarecrow's Realm"—a children's play, written by Miss Muriel Catt, was performed by her pupils before a large audience in the Theatre Royal last Saturday afternoon. It was a very good performance by children aged from three years upwards, and much credit is due to Miss Catt and her assistants for their training and teaching.

PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

ARRIVALS:—Mrs. C. Taylor, R. Cuddy, T. Owens, F. Sinclair, D. Woods, J. W. H. Theobald, R. D. M. Levinge, A. Smalley, T. Marwood, F. C. Beckman, A. Sinclair, R. Tufton, R. N. Eaton, Miss K. Burgess, E. Byrne, Y. Conroy, J. Bromley, T. Rimmer, J. Clayton, A. Whittaker, R. Stafford, J. Gordon, H. McCann.

DEPARTURES:—Dr. R. P. Rowlands, Dr. Roberts, Major F. J. Dalgety, T. Southam, H. Platt, C. J. Jefferson, W. Mossop, H. H. Dixon, G. Clune, T. Weddle, Sir Robert Jones, F. J. Jameson, C. A. King, Miss L. Shepherd, D. M. Soulsby, G. McCormack, J. H. Thornes, T. Kenyon.

## LEINSTER.

**Life with Mad Husband.**—Robert Shea, Rathduff, farmer, was committed to a lunatic asylum at Thomastown, Co. Kilkenny, last Friday, when he was charged with assaulting his wife, with intent to do her grievous bodily harm. Mrs. Shea stated that last Tuesday her husband locked the door, barred the windows, and beat and kicked her. He had beaten her and had threatened to take her life with a hay fork several times during the last eight months. He did no work, but got up every morning for breakfast, and then went back to bed fully dressed. He would rise for dinner, and again go back to bed. She had to get his permission to feed the baby, herself, and the cattle, and to milk the cows.

**Bailiffs in Co. Kilkenny.**—Bailiffs, accompanied by soldiers and police, visited the Callan district of County Kilkenny last Thursday to make seizures for non-payment of land annuities. Many of the parties concerned are members of the Unpurchased Tenants' Association. In some cases the amounts due were paid; in others a definite promise to pay within a specified time was given, and the bailiffs withdrew.

**Alleged Poacher's Predicament.**—Police surprised three alleged poachers on the River Barrow at Graigue-na-Managh, Co. Kilkenny, early on Friday morning. One of the men had stripped and entered the water to remove a net. All the men ran, including the one without any clothes on, but were eventually arrested.

## MUNSTER.

**Methylated Spirits Drinking.**—Francis Kearney was prosecuted at Limerick on Saturday for being drunk and disorderly and drinking methylated spirits, a bottle of which was found in his possession. The defendant admitted that he was drunk, but said that he did not know how he came into possession of the spirits. The District Justice said that under the Statute defendant could be sent to prison for six months. He imposed a sentence of one week, on the defendant promising not to drink methylated spirits any more. On the charge of being drunk and disorderly a fine of 5s. was imposed, or in default a further week's imprisonment, to run concurrently.

**Death from Over-Exertion.**—Death from heart failure, due to over-exertion, was the verdict returned at an inquest in Cork last Saturday into the death of a labourer who died suddenly while unloading coal from a ship at Lapp's quay.

**General O'Duffy Sails.**—General Owen O'Duffy, Chief Commissioner of the Civic Guards, accompanied by Assistant-Commissioner Walsh, sailed from Queenstown on board the White Star liner Celtic yesterday morning for New York. General O'Duffy will represent the Irish Civic Guards at the International Police Conference to be held in New York next Saturday. He expects to return in a month's time.

**Charge Against Mess Treasurer.**—William Cuffe, Victoria House, Blackrock, was remanded in Cork on bail on Saturday on a charge of embezzling £37, money received on behalf of the sergeants' mess of the 3rd Infantry Brigade, of which he was treasurer.

**Work Goes Away.**—A vessel which put in to Glin, Co. Limerick, on Friday morning left again at one o'clock, as the local carters refused to work for less than £1 1s. a day, which the consignee refused to pay.

## ULSTER.

**£12,000 Claim Dismissed.**—A claim for £12,000 made by Captain S. R. Tufts for the burning of Mullaghmore Mansion, Co. Monaghan, on January 25 last, was dismissed at Monaghan last Saturday on the ground that the possibility of accident had not been negatived. The house had been left untenanted for a few hours, with two fires burning and three lamps alight. For the claimant it was stated that Captain Tufts had dismissed some men from his employment and was engaged in a dispute over a boy.

**Monaghan Golf Club Fire.**—Judgment was reserved in Monaghan last Saturday in the claim made by Lord Rossmore for the alleged malicious burning of Cormeen Lodge, the club house of the Monaghan Golf Club, on March 17 last. Eighty claims for golf clubs which were in the building at the time depend on the judgment in Lord Rossmore's case.

Mr. John Hassett, Housemaster and Instructor in Botany for several years in Clonakilty Agricultural College, has been appointed to Athenry College.

## NORTHERN IRELAND.

**Enteric in Omagh Rural Area.**—The Northern Ministry for Home Affairs has called the attention of the Omagh Rural District Council to the prevalence of enteric fever in Omagh No. 2 district, and states that it observes that the Council made no order on a report furnished by a doctor. The Ministry adds that its inspector's reports show that there was, undoubtedly, an abnormal prevalence of the disease in the area, and that this was due to laxity in enforcing the Infectious Diseases (Notification) Act. The Council was reminded that such laxity constituted a serious menace to public health, and the responsibility of any widespread outbreak of enteric fever which might occur in the district would lie upon the Council unless strong measures were taken to check the spread of the disease. It was reported that the village of Mountfield had been without a water supply for the last two months, as the pump was out of order. The inhabitants were using water out of pools. Milk, said the doctor, was going from infected houses to the creamery, but his instructions to the creamery manager had been disregarded. The Council decided to have the water supply to Mountfield village restored, but took no further action, as there had not been any fresh cases of fever during the week.

**Consumption and Education.**—Speaking at the thirty-first annual meeting of the Lurgan Nursing Society last Saturday, Dr. A. Trimble, tuberculosis medical officer, Belfast, said that he had come to the conclusion that consumption was more prevalent among the lesser-educated nations. In Rumania, where 88.50 per cent. of the population were illiterate, the death rate from the disease was the highest in Europe; in Holland, where the illiterates numbered only 2.5 per cent., the rate was the lowest.

**Dungannon Girls' School Proposal.**—Dungannon Regional Committee, which had been asked by the members of the Tyrone Protestant Board of Education to provide a secondary school for girls in the Dungannon district, has decided to take no action in the matter. The Chairman stated that it would require £6,000 or £7,000 to provide a secondary school, and that this, together with their present commitments, would require a rate of at least 2s. in the £. A number of primary schools were in an insanitary and dilapidated condition, and money would have to be spent on repairs. The farmers, it was said, were strongly opposed to the proposal.

**Technical Education in Tyrone.**—Dungannon Regional Committee on Saturday refused to take over the Dungannon Technical School until the County Council or Ministry of Education makes an adjustment of the salaries of the county technical officials who are also teachers in the school. It is prepared to take over the teachers, but refused to accept any liability for the portion of their salary for county work.

**Stole £130 from Brother.**—At Castlederg, Co. Tyrone, Petty Sessions on Saturday, Alfred E. Cooke, aged 14 years, was ordered to be detained in a reformatory until he attained the age of 19, for the larceny of £130, the property of his brother, who carries on business in Castlederg, and by whom the accused lad was employed.

**Queen's Island Strike.**—A conference between representatives of the employers and the Queen's Island cranemen, who are on strike, took place last Saturday, but a mass meeting of the workers held later refused to accept the firm's offer, and the strike continues.

**Ex-Special's Revolver.**—Alexander Robinson, an ex-Special Constable, Aughnacloy, was fined 20s. and costs at Caledon last Saturday for having a revolver and fifty rounds of ammunition unlawfully in his possession. The articles were ordered to be forfeited.

**Lower Flax Prices.**—At Ballymena last Saturday flax prices ranged from 9s. to 15s. a stone. Several months ago the price was 15s. to 18s. There is, however, a steady demand for fibre.

**Motor Cyclist Killed.**—While motor cycling from Limavady to Londonderry last Saturday night William Murray Smith, of Fountain street, Londonderry, was thrown from his machine through colliding with a heap of stones, and received injuries from which he died later in hospital.

# FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Monday, May 4, 1925.

CUIRT ATHCHOMHAIRC CHOIRIULA (Court of Criminal Appeal).—Sitting in the Supreme Court at 12 o'clock. Applications. For Hearing—The Attorney-General v. Joseph Cherry, Circuit Court for City of Dublin, application for leave to appeal; the Attorney-General v. William Lennon, Circuit Court for City of Dublin, application for (a) leave to appeal, (b) to be present; the Attorney-General v. James Smith, Central Criminal Court, application for (a) leave to appeal, (b) to be present; the Attorney-General v. Edward Doherty (same application as in Smith's case); the Attorney-General v. James Atchison, Central Criminal Court, application for free transcript.

AN PRIMH-BHREITHEAMH (Chief Justice).—In Lunacy. Before the Registrar, at 11.30 o'clock—Settle report, G.S.; settle report, G.S.; summons, J. E. McDermott; statement, Darley, Orpen and Synnott. Before the Examiner, at 11.30 o'clock—Vouch account, G.S.; vouch account, G.S. Chief Justice's Chambers. Before the Chief Clerk, at 11.30 o'clock—O'Reilly, a minor. Before Dr. Webb, at 2 o'clock—Forde, minors, vouch account.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS (the High Court of Justice).—In Court 1, at 11 o'clock. For Hearing. Petition—Tarrant and Co. and Co's Acts. Motion—Elgood and anor. v. Watters. At Chambers—Boyd v. Cox; Butler, decd., Hanley v. Butler; Morant v. Palmer (and motion); Owens, decd., Owens v. Owens; Kevitt, decd., Fagan v. Kevitt; National Bank, Ltd., v. Brophy; V. and P. Act, Richards and Hegarty; Keane v. Lalor; Aungier, Colgan, Kelly and Co., Ltd.; Buckley v. Clohessy; Carroll, decd., Carroll v. Hayes and ors.; Mather, Jenkins, decd., Jenkins v. Jenkins; Dulgan; trusts and Trustee Act.

In Court 2.—At Chambers, at 11 o'clock—T. D. Lambert, decd., Lambert v. Lambert (to be mentioned); Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Casey; Lyons v. Corbett; Todd v. Coury; J. G. Dooley, decd., Dooley v. Dooley; Hayes v. Meade; P. Sheridan, decd., Sheridan v. Sheridan; Von Hemmelburg v. Trimmer; T. Scott, decd., Byrne v. O'Meara; Pavilion Cinema and Cafe, Ltd. (Bonnan); same matter (Taylor, Son and Robinson); Arran Clothing Factory, Ltd.; O'Sullivan v. Loughnan; J. J. Nolan, decd., O'Flaherty v. Nolan; Ulster Bank, Ltd., v. Feehan; Trustee Act and Bodley v. McCarthy; McKeag v. McCarthy; Lennon v. Crawley; Smith v. Leavy; Hibernian Bank, Ltd., v. Conroy; Hubert v. Mulcahy; Marmion v. Furney; R. L. Act and O'Hanlon.

In Court 3.—At 11 o'clock. Exparte Summonses—Kinirson v. Corish. Attendances Order—Kinirson v. Corish. Garnishee Order—Ulster Bank v. Hope. On Notice—McGuinness v. McKeone; McGurk v. McKeone; O'Neill v. Humphreys and ors.; Mellon, Carroll and Co. v. Atlas Transport and Shipping Co.; Torney v. Pender; Wicklow Corn Co. v. Holfield and ors.; Corbally and anor. v. Whelan v. Long; Meares v. Connolly.

ADMIRALTY.—In Court No. 1, at 11 o'clock. Exparte Motions. Summons—Owners, master and crew of steam tug Morsecock v. owners of ss. Archimedes, her cargo and freight.

EASTER SITTINGS FOR TRIALS BY JURY.—In Court No. 6, at 11 o'clock. City Common—Cavanagh v. Cavanagh (probate); Geoghegan v. Watt, Ltd. (personal injuries); McDonagh v. Lennon and ors. (probate). A very large attendance of City Common Jurors is required this morning at the Law Courts, the Castle, in Court No. 6, at 11 o'clock. Absent jurors will be fined. In Court No. 4, at 12 o'clock. Motions on Notice—Ulster Bank, Ltd., v. Igoe (money due); same v. Madden (money due). The City Special Jurors need not attend until Wednesday next, 6th May.

Chamber No. 1 (Room 38) at 11 o'clock—Sheehan v. Maher; Macbeth v. Williams; Bourke v. Grimes; Frisby v. Reid; Companies Acts and Urlingford Co-operative Society; Graham v. Martin; Cunningham v. Meehan; Companies Acts and Irish Co-operative Clothing.

CONSOLIDATED TAXING OFFICE.—Master Kilbride at 11 o'clock—Exparte Taxations: St. John v. Ashe, Lett and Fotheringham; St. John v. Ashe, M'Inerney; W. P. Meara; Cooney v. Cooney; Porter, Morris and Co., Cashin v. Cashin; J. J. O'Shee and Co., Hyland v. Carroll, J. J. O'Shee and Co.; a person of unsound mind, Baker, Ringwood and Gordon. Master Denning at 11 o'clock—Boyhan v. Farrell, Noonan and Dowdall; Osborne v. M'Evoy, R. A. Osborne. Master Macnamara at 11 o'clock—Byrne and Settled Land Acts, W. C. Hogan and Sons; Ministry of Industry to Osborne, Rush v. Feeney, Cochrane and Co.; Collyer to Joynt, E. Lane-Joynt.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Chief Registrar at 11 o'clock—Quilty, account comp., Noyk and O'Reilly; do., vouch account, do.; Egan, reference, Scallan and Co.; do., account comp., O'Meara, Quseen and Kieran; M'Andrew, prove debts and vouch, C. J. Rutherfoord; Courtney, do., J. J. Early; Tyrrell, account comp., O'Meara, Quseen and Kieran; Walsh, prove debts and vouch, Scallan and Co.; Weaver, do., Collins and Son; arrangement account comp., Little and Cullen; do., do., J. R. Creswell; do., do., O'Meara, Quseen and Kieran; do., do., Scallan and Co.; do., do., W. J. M. Coulter; do., inquiry, F. M. Scales; Murray, reference, C. J. Rutherfoord, arrangement, prove debts, W. V. Seddall; Murphy, vouch account, J. J. Early; arrangement, account comp., W. V. Seddall; Lattimer, do., J. J. Early.

RECEIVER OFFICE.—Mr. Dickinson, Examiner, at 11 o'clock. Application for Directions—H. E. K. Roden, from 20th ult. At 11.30, Receiver's Accounts—M'Glynney v. Smith, C. Lloyd and Son; Ross v. Whitestone, Moore, Kelly and Lloyd; Fisher v. Lauder, Mont. Whitney and Cheyter; Neary v. Callan, Ward and Hamill; E. M. Quin, V. A. Lane and Co.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS CHUARDA (Circuit Court of Justice).—At Green street at 11 o'clock. Damage to Property (Compensation) Act, 1923:—Applicants—Marion Power; Trustees St. Thomas's Church, J. Byrne; Helena Booker; D. Moroney; M. O'Riordan; E. M. Colbert; F. Connihan; J. Brady; A. Duffy; Thomas Brennan; J. J. Keenan. At 2 o'clock—George Archer.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—At Examiners' Chambers. Before the Chief Examiner at 11 o'clock—John Fitzpatrick, continued in the name of Andrew Aloysius O'Reilly (E.C. 7677), vouch. Before Mr. Jeffrey White at 11 o'clock—C. H. Hutton and another (E.C. 6151), settle schedule. Before Mr. Stubbs at 10.45 o'clock—Lonsdale F. Walsh (E.C. 1052), vouch. At 11 o'clock—James E. Stannard (E.C. 7318), vouch. At 11.30 o'clock—Sir Rowland Blennerhassett, vouch; Sir Arthur C. B. Blennerhassett, vouch. At 2.30 o'clock—Ethel M. Smith and another (S. 653), settle schedule. Before Mr. Sullivan at 11 o'clock—Agnes Shaw Taylor (S. 739), discharge rulings. Before Mr. Lenfield at 11 o'clock—Blacker Douglas (E.C. 9443), discharge rulings. Before Mr. Grove White at 11 o'clock—G. R. Lloyd. At 12 o'clock—Hon. E. F. M. Cochrane (E.C. 8182), vouch costs.

# MANCHESTER PROVISIONS.

(FROM OUR COMMERCIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

The provision trade is now assuming a more normal tone after what may be described as the excited condition of the past week or two, at least so far as bacon and butter have been concerned. Shipments of Danish and Swedish bacon last week-end were fairly heavy, and this, coupled with stocks which had accumulated, had a depressing effect on the market generally, but the outlook is now distinctly brighter. Supplies of Irish have been by no means heavy, but the lower prices ruling for Scandinavian reacted and was responsible for the giving way in prices in this department. Canadian is easier, and with lower hog prices in States quotations for the various cuts of American have declined, though this cure is by no means popular in this centre, no doubt owing to the variation in the quality which passed into consumption during the war.

Butter is firmer on smaller shipments of Scandinavian, and in Colonial sellers of both New Zealand and Australian are asking advanced prices. There is a slight increase to note in the quantity of Irish creamery butter coming forward, while current supplies are scarcely sufficient to test prices; somewhere about 174s. to 178s. may be taken as a nominal figure. By the middle of the month, however, arrivals should be on a very fair scale. All descriptions of lard continue to decline. Finest qualities of home produced cheese firm, but New Zealand shows a rather downward tendency. Irish eggs rule on the easy side, but there is no doubt the position will be stronger on account of the high price of Danish, coupled with reports of lighter supplies of English new-laid.

There was a distinctly easier feeling in both cattle and sheep at Salford Cattle Market on Tuesday last, the increased supply causing buyers to hold off. While there was little change on the week in the number of Irish beasts on offer, there was a good show of both Norfolk and Welsh, especially the former. Official returns show that exports of cattle, sheep and pigs from Ireland to this country were appreciably smaller than in the corresponding period of last year, and in the case of fat cattle and pigs much less than in recent years. The falling off in the shipments of pigs has caused some comment here, but this is explained to a certain extent by the fact that the number of pigs in Ireland last summer was twenty per cent. less than a year earlier, so that reduced exports were to be expected, especially in view of the short crop and high price of potatoes. At the Manchester Dead Meat Market there was fair movement at the beginning of the week, but a very slow finish.

Little new in poultry, trade being confined chiefly to imported descriptions.

# U.S. MARKETS.

## STRONG CLOSING OF STOCKS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

*NEW YORK, Saturday.*

Stocks opened strong and advanced on President Coolidge's assurances that business will be unharmed during the Congressional recess, and pool operations in speculative Industrials. The absorption of the railroad lease of Buffalo Rock and Pitts by the Delaware and Hudson caused buying of New York, Ontario and Western, and Lake Erie on the belief that they also will be taken by other systems. Southern Common and St. Louis and San Francisco Common touched record high prices on increased dividend prospects, and American Can was buoyant. The market closed strong. Government Bonds easy; Railroad Bonds firm. The day's sales amounted to 700,000 shares.

Money on call dull and nominal. Sterling exchange steady. Silver ½c. higher at 67⅞.

| | Sat. | Fri. |
|---|---|---|
| Call Money | Nom. | 3½ a. 3½ a. |
| Exchange on Lon. 60 days sight | 4.80 | 4.80⅛ |
| Do. do. Demand Bills | 4.84⅛ | 4.84¼ |
| Cable Transfers | 4.84⅜ | 4.84⅜ |
| Do. Montreal | 4.84⅜ | 4.84⅜ |
| Exchange Paris cable | 5.24½ | 5.24 |

| Eng. Parity | Stocks | Closing Prices Sat. | Bid Business Mons. Fri. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 105½ | U.S. Funded | 102⅝ | 102¾ |
| 121¾ | Atch. Top. Santa Fe | 118 | 118¼ |
| 92¾ | Do. Preference | 94⅞ | 95 |
| 77⅞ | Baltimore and Ohio | 75⅜ | 75¼ |
| 149½ | Canadian Pacific | 143 | 144 |
| 4⅞ | Chic., Mil. & St. Paul | 4⅜ | 4¼ |
| [illegible] | Chicago and N.-West | [illegible] | 60¾ |
| 29⅛ | Erie Shares | [illegible] | 28⅝ |
| 39⅛ | Erie 1st Preferred | [illegible] | 38 |
| 115⅛ | Illinois Central | 112 | 112 |
| 113⅜ | Louisville & Nashville | 110 | 110 |
| 36¼ | Missouri, Kan. & Texas | 35 | 34⅞ |
| 35 | Missouri Pacific New | 34 | 34⅛ |
| [illegible] | N.Y. Cen. & Hudson R. | 116⅞ | 116⅞ |
| 134 | Norfolk and West Com. | 130½ | 131 |
| 62⅞ | Northern Pacific Com. | 61 | 60 |
| 44⅛ | Pennsylvania Shares | 43 | 42⅞ |
| 81⅛ | Reading Shares | [illegible] | 77⅞ |
| [illegible] | Do. Preferred | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| 97½ | Southern Railway | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| 105 | Southern Pacific | [illegible] | 103 |
| 141⅞ | Union Pacific | 138⅛ | 137⅞ |
| 76⅛ | Do. Pref. | 74 | 73⅞ |
| 96⅜ | American Smelt. and Refining | [illegible] | 92 |
| 37⅛ | Anaconda Copper | 36⅝ | 36⅛ |
| 29 | British-American Tobacco Ord. | 28⅝ | 28⅛ |
| 81⅛ | New York Consolidated Gas | 79⅝ | 79⅝ |
| 276½ | General Electric | 270½ | 269 |
| 143¾ | National Lead | 141 | 139 |
| 118½ | United States Steel Common | 114⅝ | 114⅛ |
| [illegible] | Do. Pref. | 123⅜ | 123¾ |
| 40¼ | Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock | 39⅛ | 39 |
| [illegible] | Silver Commercial Bars | 67⅞ | 67⅜ |
| 76¼ | General Motors (New) | 73⅞ | 73¼ |
| 11⅞ | Inter. Mer. Marine Com. Certs. | 11⅛ | 11⅛ |
| [illegible] | Do. Pref. Certs. | 42⅞ | 42¾ |
| 41⅛ | Shell Ordinary | 40⅛ | 40⅛ |
| 75⅞ | Pan-American Petroleum Ord. | 73⅞ | 73 |
| 25½ | Anglo-American Oil | 25 | 24⅞ |
| 24½ | Shell Union Oil Corp. | 24 | 23⅞ |
| 41⅞ | U.S. Rubber | 40⅝ | 40⅝ |
| 187½ | American Can | 181½ | 176 |
| 25⅛ | International Pet. of Canada | [illegible] | 23⅜ |
| | BONDS. | | |
| 93⅜ | Atch. Top. New 4% Gen. Mort. | 90⅞ | 91⅛ |
| — | Erie Rail. Gen. 4% Lien Bonds | — | 62¼ |
| — | Union Pacific 4 p.c. Bonds | — | 93 |
| 108⅞ | U.S. Steel 2nd Mort. 5% Bds. | 105⅞ | 106 |
| 121½ | U.K. 5½ per cent. Bonds 1929 | 117⅞ | 117⅛ |
| 110⅛ | Do. do. 1937 | 107⅛ | 107⅛ |
| 97 | 7 p.c. German Loan | 94 | 93⅛ |

*Asked. †Ex div. ‡Ex interest. §Ex rights.

## NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

WHEAT irregular, 1c. down to 1½c. up.

| | To-day. | Prev. day. |
|---|---|---|
| No. 2 Hard Winter, c.i.f. | 175 | 176 |
| No. 2 Red Winter, spot | 202 | 203 |
| No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot | 167 | 168 |
| No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot | 186⅞ | 184⅛ |

Sales for export—Nil.

RYE steady and unaltered. No. 2 spot, 126. Sales for export—Nil.

BARLEY steady and unchanged. American malting, 100.

MAIZE easy, 1½c. cheaper.

| | To-day. | Prev. day. |
|---|---|---|
| Western No. 2 mixed, spot | 120¼ | 121⅝ |

Sales for export—Nil.

LARD steady and unaltered. Prime Western steam, 15.70; Middle West, 15.50 to 15.60.

FLOUR steady. Spring clears, 100 per cent., 7.75 to 8.25.

FREIGHTS.

Heavy grain to Great Britain, per quarter, 1/6 to 2/6.

Heavy grain to Continent, per 100lbs., 15c. to 16c.

Cotton—High density to Great Britain, per 100lbs., 30c.

Cotton—Standard bales to Great Britain, per 100lbs., 45c.

PETROLEUM steady.

| | To-day. | Prev. day. |
|---|---|---|
| Standard White in cases | 16.90 | 16.90 |
| Standard White in barrels | 13.50 | 13.50 |
| Do. Philadelphia | 13.50 | 13.50 |
| Mid-Continent Crude | 1.80 | 1.80 |
| Pennsylvania Crude | 3.15-3.40 | 3.15-3.40 |

COFFEE—

| Futures—Options— | May. | June. | July. |
|---|---|---|---|
| To-day | 17.45 | 16.75 | 16.15 |
| Prev. day | 17.62 | 16.90 | 16.30 |

| | Sept. | Oct. | Dec. | Mar. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| To-day | 15.20 | 15.05 | 14.65 | 14.12 |
| Prev. day | 15.30 | 15.23 | 14.79 | 14.30 |

SUGAR easy, 1 to 6 points lower. Centrifugal Cuban spot steady and unaltered, 96 test centrifugal Cuban, 4.27. Approximate day's sales—36,000 tons.

| Options— | May. | July. | Sept. | Dec. | Jan. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| To-day | 2.59 | 2.69 | 2.79 | 2.77 | 2.79 |
| Prev. day | 2.60 | 2.71 | 2.80 | 2.82 | 2.83 |

TALLOW steady. Extra loose, 8½.

TURPENTINE.—Spirits of turpentine, 96½; Savannah spirits of turpentine, 89½.

METALS.—Tin steady. Spot, 53.62½; future options, 52.62½. Tin Plates, 5.50. Lead steady, 7.75. Zinc steady. East St. Louis spot, 6.75. Iron steady. No. 2 American Northern Foundry, 19.50 to 21.00. Electrolytic Copper steady. Spot, 13½; futures, 13½. Bessemer Steel Rails, 43.

WINNIPEG GRAINS.

WHEAT opened easy, 1c. to ½c. lower, but closed steady, 1½c. to 2c. up. Opening options—July, 163½; October, 136½. Closing options—July, 165½; October, 139. Oats steady, ½c. up to unchanged. Closing options—July, 55½; October, 56½. Rye steady, ½c. up to unchanged. Closing options—May, 113½; July, 115. Barley firm, 1½c. to 1½c. dearer. Closing options—May, 89; July, 112. Flax-seed steady, 1c. up. Closing option—July, 259.

| Wheat receipts (carlots) | To-day. | Prev. day. |
|---|---|---|
| No. 1 Northern | 34 | 28 |
| No. 2 Northern | 42 | 32 |
| No. 3 Northern | 47 | 37 |
| No. 4 Northern | 39 | 29 |
| Other grades | 83 | 75 |
| Total | 245 | 203 |

## NEW YORK COTTON.

COTTON opened steady at 3 to 11 points advance, and closed barely steady, 21 to 25 points down. Spot quiet at 25 points decline. New Orleans spot 15 points lower.

Spot, middling upland at New York, 24.15.

Spot, middling upland at New Orleans, 24.55.

Receipts—Atlantic, 2,000 bales; Gulf, 2,000; Pacific, nil; interior towns, 3,000. Exports—Great Britain, nil; Continent, nil; Japan, nil.

New Orleans futures in the last minute of trading—May, lowest 23.95, highest 23.95. July, 24.11, 24.12.

## CHICAGO MARKETS.

*CHICAGO, Saturday.*

WHEAT opened easy, 2c. to 2c. lower, on a bearish Australian crop report, easier cable advices and realising sales, but a reaction set in due to strength at Winnipeg and smaller interior receipts. The market weakened again, however, on reports that the crop damage news had been exaggerated, unloading by bulls and the unsatisfactory export demand and outside inquiry. Partial rallies took place on shorts covering and large seaboard clearances, and the closing was steady, but 1c. to ½c. down. Spot nominal.

| | To-day. | Prev. day. |
|---|---|---|
| No. 2 Hard Winter spot | — | — |
| No. 3 Hard Winter spot | — | 159 |

| Futures—Opening options— | May. | July. |
|---|---|---|
| To-day | 159 | 149¾ |
| Prev. day | 155 | 143¾ |

| Futures—Closing options— | May | July | Sept. |
|---|---|---|---|
| To-day | 159 | 149⅜ | 142 |
| Prev. day | 160 | 150 | 142⅞ |

| | To-day. | Same day last year. | This season. | Last season. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Receipts (W.) | 359 | 670 | 472,082 | 333,149 |

(In thousands of bushels.)

MAIZE opened irregular, ½c. up to ½c. down, and closed barely steady at 1½c. to 2½c. fall.

| | To-day. | Prev. day. |
|---|---|---|
| Spot No. 2 mixed | — | — |

| Futures—Opening options— | May | July |
|---|---|---|
| To-day | 107¾ | 111⅛ |
| Prev. day | 105 | 109⅛ |

| Futures—Closing options— | May | July | Sept. |
|---|---|---|---|
| To-day | 105¾ | 109¾ | 109⅜ |
| Prev. day | 107⅞ | 112 | 111 |

| | To-day. | Same day last year. | This season. | Last season. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Receipts (W.) | 346 | 161 | 217,415 | 256,705 |

(In thousands of bushels.)

OATS steady, ½c. up to unchanged.

| Futures—Closing options— | May | July | Sept. |
|---|---|---|---|
| To-day | 42¼ | 43 | 43⅛ |
| Prev. day | 41⅞ | 42⅞ | 43⅛ |

RYE barely steady, unchanged to ½c. lower. No. 2 spot unquoted.

| Futures—Closing options— | May. | July. | Sept. |
|---|---|---|---|
| To-day | 112⅞ | 106⅛ | 101⅛ |
| Prev. day | 112⅞ | 109⅜ | 102⅛ |

PROVISIONS opened quiet, and prices declined owing to heavy stocks, a poor cash inquiry and in sympathy with corn. Further recessions took place under light liquidation and the slack outside demand. There had been no trading in ribs. The market closed barely steady, with lard unchanged to 7½ points lower and ribs 5 to 2½ points higher. Lard—Spot, 14.90.

| Lard—Closing options | May | July | Sept. |
|---|---|---|---|
| To-day | 14.90 | 15.17½ | 15.47½ |
| Prev. day | 14.90 | 15.25 | 15.52½ |

| Ribs—Closing options | May. | July. | Sept. |
|---|---|---|---|
| To-day | 16.00 | 16.17½ | 16.20 |
| Prev. day | 15.95 | 16.15 | 16.17½ |

BACON steady and unaltered. Short ribbed sides (loose, average)—[illegible].

HOGS easy. Light descriptions were 25 to 5 points down. Light hogs, 11.00 to 12.45; heavy hogs, 11.30 to 11.40.

| | To-day. | Same day last year |
|---|---|---|
| Receipts—Western Cities | 33,000 | 85,000 |
| Chicago | 4,000 | 4,000 |

Receipts of hogs at fifteen principal Western centres, including Chicago, since March 1st, total 5,429,000, against 7,607,000 same period last year.

The Marquess of Northampton was fined £8 and his licence endorsed at Bedford last Saturday for driving a motor car to the danger of the public on the Great North road.

# THE INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE.

## PREMATURE RETIREMENT RULES.

## OFFICIAL DECISIONS ANNOUNCED.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

*LONDON, Sunday.*

A statement issued at the India Office to-day announces that the following decisions, which affect the premature retirement rules, have been taken as a result of the recommendation of the Royal Commission on the Superior Civil Services in India:—

1—The recommendation made in paragraph 74, II. of the report has been accepted, and the rules will shortly be amended to provide that, instead of being limited, as heretofore, to those whose active service in one of the services concerned commenced before 1st January, 1920, the scheme shall extend to men selected for, or appointed to one of those services before that date. This will admit a number of ex-Service condidates selected late in 1919.

2—In paragraph 74, V. of their report, the Commissioners state that representations had been made to them:

"That the right to retire on proportionate pension should be extended indefinitely."

Their recommendation is as follows:—"We have considered this claim, and recommend that, in the case of all future British recruits to the all-India Services, a rule shall be made and a clause inserted in their contracts to the like effect, that, if and when the field of service for which they have been recruited is transferred, it shall be open to them either:

"A—To retain their all-India status, or,

"B—To waive their contracts with the Secretary of State, and to enter into new contracts with the local governments concerned; or,

"C—To retire on proportionate pension, the option to remain open for one year from the date of transfer. We further recommend that existing members of the all-India services now operating in reserved fields, who do not make use of their present privilege to retire on proportionate pension after action has been taken on the report of the Statutory Commission of 1929, should be allowed to exercise the option above specified, if, and when, the field in which their service operates is transferred. This concession should also be extended to all officers who joined the Services since 1st January, 1920."

These recommendations have been accepted generally, except as regards the precise means to be adopted to guarantee the concessions recommended to the officers concerned. This matter remains for decision in connection with the question of legal covenants, which is now under consideration.

3—The Commission recommend no change in the scale of pensions under the scheme. No change has been made.

4—The recommendation of the Commission that the fraction of pension which officers should be allowed to commute should be increased from one-third to one-half has been accepted.

5—In consequence of the decision to increase the maximum ordinary pension, the pension admissible under the premature retirement rules has become less favourable to certain officers who retired after long service, than that which they might have received under the ordinary rules. In such cases, it has been decided that when retirement took place on or after 1st April, 1924, the officer shall be permitted, if he so desires, to receive the pension admissible to him under the ordinary rules.

6—In consequence of the general grant of free passages, it has become necessary to provide that an officer shall not receive passage from the Passage Fund, in addition to the passage gratuity admissible under the premature retirement rules.

Necessary changes in the rules will be made shortly, and will be published in the Statutory Rules and Orders series.

Retention of all-India status means, in brief, that the officer will not be liable to dismissal by any authority subordinate to the Secretary of State in Council, and his terms and conditions of service will continue to be regulated by the Secretary of State in Council.

# PHŒNIX PARK CLUB RACES.

## AN ENJOYABLE AFTERNOON.

(FROM OUR LADY CORRESPONDENT.)

An enjoyable meeting at the Phœnix Park Club last Saturday wound up the week's sporting activities in a very satisfactory manner. Many of the Punchestown patrons had remained for the Dublin fixture, and it was favoured with fine weather, though the skies were grey throughout the afternoon and sunshine was sadly lacking. Nevertheless, the club grounds looked charming. A great display of blossom was noticeable in the rock gardens, and the eyes of all and sundry were dazzled by the gorgeous colouring of the cineraria, so effectively grouped at the base of the stands. The toilettes, on the whole, were gayer and more spring-like than those seen earlier in the week, and the vividly-coloured hats gave an attractive touch to the gathering on the lawn, where the scene was always changing.

Among those present were Frances Marchioness Conyngham, Mr. and Miss Cameron, Viscount and Viscountess Powerscourt, with a party, including the Hon. Doreen Wingfield; Lord Southampton, Viscountess Gormanston, Lady Eva Forbes, Lord and Lady Talbot de Malahide, Lord and Lady De Freyne, Lord Bellew, Lord HolmPatrick, the Hon. Sybil Hamilton, the Hon. Mrs. Willis, the Hon. Mrs. Dewhurst, the Hon. A. and Mrs. Preston, Sir T. and Lady Edina Ainsworth, Sir Walter and Lady Nugent, Sir John and Lady Arnott, Captain L. Arnott, Mr. T. Arnots, Mrs. Van Cuteem, Lady Weldon, Sir Anthony and Mr. Weldon, Sir Christopher and Lady Nixon, the Misses Nixon, Sir George and Miss Brooke, Captain and Mrs. F. Brooke, Sir William and Lady Goulding, Captain and Mrs. L. Goulding, Sir Thomas and Lady Myles, Lady and Miss Lumsden, General Sir Bryan and Lady Mahon, Mr. Justice Wylie, Lady and Miss Chance, General and Mrs. Waldron, Miss Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey-Fitzpatrick, Major and Mrs. Shirley, the Right Hon. T. K. and Mrs. Laidlaw, Mr. R. D. Jameson, Miss Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McNeile, Miss McNeile, Colonel and Miss Hughes, Colonel and Mrs. Clements, Miss Clements, Colonel and Mrs. Beardmore Batten, Mrs. More O'Ferrall, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Maher, Captain Boyd-Rochfort, V.C., and Mrs. Boyd-Rochfort, Mr. and Mrs. Daigety, Mr. Locke, Captain and Mrs. Anthony Maude, the Misses Maude, Captain and Mrs. French, Mr. and Miss Crawfurd, Mr. H. Pack Beresford, Captain Charles Moore, Mr. W. H. West, Captain R. B. Brassey, Captain and Mrs. French, Mrs. Tulloch, Captain and the Misses Hume, Mr. and Miss Kenny, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Barker, Mr. and Mrs. Mostyn, Mr. Maxwell Arnott, Mr. R. Leeper, Mr. and Miss Bellaney, the Misses West, Mrs. George Nesbitt, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. H. Peard, Colonel Clarke, Surgeon and Mrs. McArdle, Mr. and Mrs. Burke, Mr. O'Shee, Mr. Chaytor, Mr. and Mrs. V. Morton Jackson, Miss Thompson, Miss Knox, Mr. and Mrs. A. McCann, Mr. and Mrs. Turner, Dr. O'Connor, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard, Mrs. Irwin, Miss Selby, Mr. and Mrs. Bolton, Captain R. H. Fowler, Mr. Wilson, Miss McKinley, Mr. and Miss Baillie, Mr. Haines, Mrs. Webb, Mr. Brewster, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Cogan, Mr. T. Lewis, Dr. and Mrs. Maunsell, Mr. and Miss Robinson, Mr. and Miss Connolly, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kennedy, Miss Jackson, Mrs. and Miss Hewitt, Mr. and Mrs. Myercough, Mr. C. T. Wallis, Mr. H. M. Hartigan, Mr. E. W. Hope Johnstone, Mr. J. J. Parkinson, Mr. A. Lowry, Mr. P. P. O'Reilly, Mrs. T. O'K White, Mrs. Croft, Colonel Honner, Mr. A. D. Comyn, Mr. J. T. Rogers, Mr. W. P. Gill, Mr. H. Usher and Mr. A. B. Massaley.

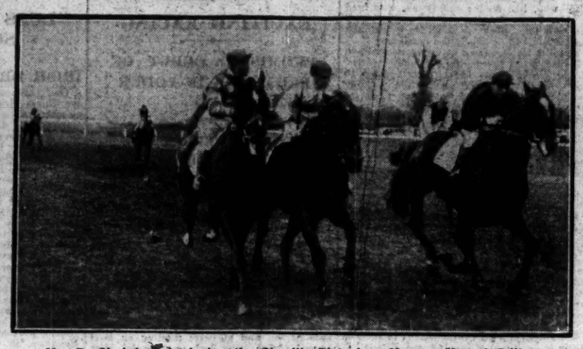
The League of Nations has been a great force in the stabilisation of the currencies of the world.—Mr. Reginald McKenna.

The Empire has long since abandoned any idea of holding its nations together by any method of duress. It is, in the fullest sense, a free partnership.—The Duke of York.

For all practical purposes the history of the world, and especially of the last thirty years, proves that there is no such thing as telepathic communication.—Sir Herbert Stephen.

# PHŒNIX PARK RACES: SURGEONS AT THE DUBLIN "ZOO": HOCKEY FINAL.

Some of the English Surgeons who are visiting Dublin, photographed at the Dublin Zoo, where they were entertained to Breakfast last Saturday.



Mr. P. Clarke's Sod winning the Clonsilla Plate from Maureen M. and Tailte at Phœnix Park last Saturday.

A Leopard climbing the bars of his Cage during the visit of the Surgeons to the Dublin Zoo.

The Curator at the Dublin Zoo showing the visiting Surgeons the Throat of a Baby Alligator.

[Photo by] [Russell and Son.

The late Mr. J. C. R. Lardner, K.C.

Capt. R. B. Brassey's Fedamore, winner of the Loder Plate at Phœnix Park.

Mr. McGuinness arranging the Pictures at the Water-Colour Society's Show, which opens in Dublin to-day.

Mr. R. W. Lindsay, B.A. (Public Works Department, Sierra Leone), and Miss Sinton, who were married in Dublin last Saturday.

LEINSTER v. CIVIL SERVICE.—F. G. Connell returning to the Pavilion.

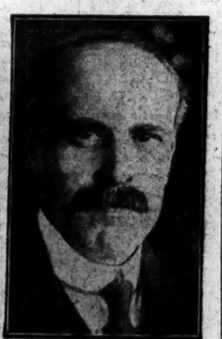
The Japanese freighter, Raifuka Maru, sinking off Nova Scotia. The picture was taken from the Homeric, which answered the S.O.S. call, but was unable to rescue the Crew.

The Princess Royal, whose illness is reported.

G. Alderdice (Captain) holding the Cup, which Lisnagarvey won by 3 goals to nil.

IRISH CUP FINAL.—Lisnagarvey v. Limerick P.Y.M.A., at Foxrock, last Saturday. T. Wallace (Limerick) breaks away.

Mr. Cyril Tolley, Miss Joyce Wethered, Mr. Storey, and Miss Collett, who took part in the annual Ladies v. Men Match at Stoke Poges last Saturday.



Sir Josiah Stamp, who has been appointed President of the Executive of the L.M.S. Railway.

## SISTER JULIE, WAR HEROINE.

### DEATH AT NANCY.

Sister Julie, formerly Mother Superior of Gerbeviller (Lorraine) Hospital, who, for her bravery and devotion when the Germans pillaged the village and massacred the inhabitants, was made a Chevalier of the Legion of Honour, has died at Nancy, aged seventy-one.

Fifteen hundred men, women and children were massacred in cold blood. All that was of any value to the invaders was taken away; the rest of the village was burned. The Germans were forced out of the village, but for a fortnight they were on the outskirts of it, bombarding it hourly.

Throughout the reign of terror Sister Julie stuck to her post in the shell-shattered hospital, doing what she could for the wounded French soldiers and villagers. She also tended wounded German prisoners.

What most English people who do not know America forget is that the essential thing for mutual understanding is to realise what we have not got in common.—The Prime Minister.

## PROTECTING WILD BIRDS.

### OBJECTS OF NEW BRITISH BILL.

The establishment of a Wild Birds Protection Advisory Committee, to be appointed by the Home Secretary, is one of the features of the Wild Birds Protection Bill, a Government measure, the text of which was issued in London last Saturday.

The main objects of the bill are to repeal the enactments providing for the protection of wild birds and to substitute other provisions.

The birds are classified under two headings —those protected at all times, and those specially protected during the close season—each section containing the names of thirty species.

## BOUNDARY COMMISSION.

The following communiqué was issued last Saturday evening from Killyhevlin, Enniskillen:—

"The Irish Boundary Commission at its sitting to-day heard evidence on behalf of the Ballyshannon Harbour Commissioners in support of a claim for the inclusion in the Irish Free State of that portion of County Fermanagh, which, prior to 1922, formed Ballyshannon Rural District No. 2."

## CLARE LOCAL ELECTIONS.

### MR. DE VALERA AND THE SELECTION OF CANDIDATES.

Mr. de Valera arrived at Ennis yesterday, and during the evening visited O'Callaghan's Mills.

At Ennis he attended a meeting of the Comhairle Ceanntair and a convention to select candidates for the local elections. Both gatherings were largely attended and Mr. de Valera was very well received. The proceedings were private.

Mr. de Valera stated afterwards that he had addressed the convention and had pointed out that they should select as candidates men and women who, judged by any standard, would be as good as any put in the field by their opponents. Asked whether candidates would be selected on political lines, Mr. de Valera replied that Sinn Fein, in selecting candidates, should bear in mind their integrity and ability, and should be satisfied that they had a good record in national affairs.

The candidates selected for the Ennis Division were:—Messrs. Frank Barrett, Laurence Brougham, Spancil Hill; James McInerney, Smithstown; James Brennan, Harlers Cross; and Ralph Roughan, Ennis.

## LORD FITZALAN, K.G.

Lord FitzAlan, who has succeeded to the vacant Garter—at one time believed to be destined for Lord Oxford—stands high in the favour of Royalty. Some little while ago he was granted the use of Cumberland Lodge, the Royal residence in Windsor Park—an arrangement about which there was some discussion at the time, the alternative suggestion being put forward that the Lodge might be converted, after the fashion of Hampton Court, into apartments for some three or four distinguished soldiers and sailors of the late war with limited means. However, it must not be forgotten that Lord Edmund was himself a soldier, and won the D.S.O. in the South African War.—A Correspondent of *The Sunday Times*.

## NEW 16-INCH SHELL.

Sir Robert Hadfield announced at the annual meeting of Hadfield's, Limited, Sheffield, last Saturday, that the firm had developed a new 16-inch armour-piercing shell for the British service. The shell, he said, had been accepted by the Government after a test of unexampled severity; in fact, one which, three or four years ago, would have been thought impossible.

## THIS WEEK'S AUCTIONS OF FURNITURE AND FINE ARTS.

MONDAY.

9 and 10 Bachelor's Walk (James Hill and Son); 17 Herbert street (James H. North and Co.).

TUESDAY.

43 Norfolk road, Phibsborough (W. J. Holden and Son); 13 Herbert Park, Donnybrook (Dockrell Ltd.); 6 Upper Ormond quay (Bennett and Son); 17 Herbert street (James H. North and Co.); 4 Fakenham Villas, Monkstown (Talbot Coall and Son, Dun Laoghaire); St. Mary's, 47 Mount Merrion avenue (James Adam and Sons); Clonsarrin, Co. Kildare (Robert J. Goff and Co., Ltd., Newbridge).

THURSDAY.

Burton Hall, Stillorgan (James H. North and Co.); Barfield, Salthill, Galway (Joyce, Mackie and Co., Galway).

FRIDAY.

Burton Hall, Stillorgan (James H. North and Co.); Barfield, Salthill, Galway (Joyce, Mackie and Co., Galway); 45 Ashfield road, Roselagh (Dockrell Ltd.).

# BROADCASTING.

## TO-DAY.

The letters "S.S." signify a simultaneous broadcast from the station mentioned.

**LONDON (2LO)—365 Metres.**

3.15-3.45—Schools. 4.0-5.0—Time (Greenwich); Music performed during Afternoon Tea at the Trocadero. 5.0-6.0—Dance Music. 6.0-6.30—Children. 6.40—Talk by the Radio Society of Great Britain (S.S. to all Stations). 7.0—Big Ben, Weather and News. Mr. W. M. R. Pringle, "Doings and Personalities in Parliament" (S.S. to all Stations). 7.25—Music. 8.0—The Band of the Scots Guards, Dorothy Bennett (soprano), A. Bell-Walker (tenor), Earle Spicer (baritone), Mabel Fitzgerald (entertainer). 9.45-10.15—Speech by the American Ambassador, at the "Pilgrims" Dinner, relayed from the Hotel Victoria (S.S. to all Stations). 10.15—Big Ben, Weather and News. 10.45—Concert (continued). 11.0—Close.

**CHELMSFORD (5XX) — 1,000 Metres (High-Power Station).**

6.0-11.0—From London.

**BIRMINGHAM (5IT)—475 Metres.**

3.30-4.30—Station Wind Quintet. Helen Grant (soprano). 4.45-5.15—Women. Marjorie Bates (solo pianoforte). 5.15-6.0—Children. 6.40-7.55—From London. 8.0—Station Orchestra. Mabel Senior (soprano), "5IT" Male Voice Quartet, Janet Joye (impressions). 10.15—Weather and News. 10.45—Quartet. 11.0—Close.

**BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—385 Metres.**

3.45-5.0—Women. Orchestra. 5.0-5.30—Children. 5.30-6.30—Children. 6.30-6.40—Radio Societies of Bournemouth and District. 6.40-7.35—From London. 8.0—Wessex Glee Singers, G. H. Beer (dialect stories). 9.10—London Radio Repertory Players in "The Dweller in the Darkness." 9.45-11.0—From London.

**CARDIFF (5WA)—351 Metres.**

2.30-3.0—Organ Recital. 3.0-4.0—Station Trio. 5.0-5.30—"5WA'S" "Five O'Clocks." 5.30-6.25—Children. 6.40-7.25—From London. 7.30—Mavis Bennett (soprano), Tudor Davies (tenor), Robert Pitt and Langton Marks (entertainers), John Henry (entertainer), Vera McCombe-Thomas (piano), Arthur E. Sims (organist), Station Orchestra. 9.45-11.0—From London.

**MANCHESTER (2ZY)—375 Metres.**

3.30-4.0—Schools. 4.0-5.15—Concert by the "2ZY" Quartet, Rosalind Lees (contralto). 5.30-6.30—Children. 6.40-7.40—From London. 8.0—Dance Band. Alice Lilley (soprano), Pat Ryan (solo clarinet), R. H. Jackson (humorist). 9.45-11.0—From London.

**NEWCASTLE (5NO)—400 Metres.**

3.45-4.45—Band. 4.45-5.15—John Jameson (baritone). 5.15-6.30—Children. 6.35—Farmers. 6.40-7.55—From London. 8.0—Betty Humble (soprano), John Atkinson (violin), George Tindle (tenor), "5NO" Repertory Company. 9.0—The Repertory Company in "Between the Soup and the Savoury." 9.45-10.45—From London. 10.45—E. Lynch Odhams, humorous readings. 11.0—Close.

**ABERDEEN (2BD)—495 Metres.**

8.0—Brenda Johnson (dramatic soprano), Grace Forbes (contralto), Walter Hyde (tenor), Wireless Orchestra. 9.45-11.0—From London.

**GLASGOW (5SC)—420 Metres.**

3.30-4.30—Wireless Quartet, Catherine Calder (contralto). 4.45-5.15—Women. 5.15-6.0—Children. 6.0-6.5—Weather for Farmers. 6.40-7.40—From London. 8.0—Station Orchestra, Augustus Beddie (lecture recital), John E. Green (entertainer). 9.45-11.0—From London.

**LIVERPOOL (6LV)—315 Metres.**

11.0-12.0—Concert. 3.30-4.30—Musical Lecture. Station String Quartet. 5.55-6.25—Children. 6.40-11.0—From London.

**BELFAST (2BE)—435 Metres.**

4.0-5.0—"2BE" Quartet. 5.30-6.0—Children. 6.40—Radio Society Bulletin (from London). 7.0—Weather and News (from London). Mr. W. M. R. Pringle (from London). 7.30—Station Orchestra, John Crowther (solo violin), Grace Ivell and Vivian Worth (entertainers). "The Empire March" (1924) (Elgar); Selection, "Songs of the Hebrides" (Kennedy-Fraser); Barcarolle ("The Tales of Hoffmann") (Offenbach); "Wanderlust" (Evans); "Cross-eyed Clara and Her Cross-Word Craze" (Reg Low); Concerto, A Minor (1st Movement (Bach); Rondino (Beethoven); Berceuse (Townsend); "Follow the Swallow" (Roy Henderson); "Africa" (Hanley); "Apples Were Made for Cider" (T. Sterndale-Bennett); "Chant sans Paroles" (Tchaikovsky); "Sleepy Hollow Tune" (Kountz); "Keep Smiling at Trouble" (Gensler); "Kicky Koo" (Meyer); "Three Mariners" (Roger Quilter); "Lyric Poem" (J. Crowther). An Eastern Suite. "In a Persian Market" (Ketelbey). 9.45—Speech by the American Ambassador at the Pilgrims' Dinner, relayed from The Hotel Victoria, London. 10.15-11.0—From London.

## WEMBLEY AND THE DERBY TO BE BROADCAST.

The opening ceremony at the British Empire Exhibition next Saturday morning will be broadcast from all stations of the British Broadcasting Company. The programme will be even more impressive than that of last year, and will include His Majesty's speech.

Arrangements have been made to broadcast the sounds on Epsom Downs on Derby Day, subject to the permission of the Postmaster-General to lay down certain land wires. It is proposed to place a microphone so that the cries of the bookmakers, the beat of the horses' hoofs and the noise of the crowd will be heard.

## A LONDON HOTEL INCIDENT.

### CHARGE AGAINST A WOMAN DOCTOR.

A further remand was ordered at Westminster Police Court last Saturday, when Helen O'Brien, aged 35, described as a member of the Royal College Surgeons, of Shelley Cottage, Worthing, was charged with attempting to commit suicide by taking morphia at the Hotel Belgravia, Grosvenor Gardens, on April 24th.

Inspector Hill stated at the last hearing that the woman admitted taking the contents of two empty morphia tubes, saying: "I want to finish it and die. I will take some more as soon as I can get the chance."

Mr. Conway, solicitor, defending, asked Inspector Hill if Dr. O'Brien was still under the influence of the drug when he saw her. The inspector replied that she was.

Mr. Francis (the magistrate) handed Mr. Conway a report made by the prison doctor, remarking that, in view of it, he thought it would be necessary to have a further remand.

Mr. Conway—I hope not, sir. Doctors of standing and intimate knowledge of the defendant will be called. The suggestion I am going to make to you is that the proper course to adopt is to bind her over to her friends, who will take great care of her.

After consultation with Dr. O'Brien and a medical adviser, Mr. Conway said that it was thought another week's rest would be desirable.

Mr. Francis, in ordering a further remand, said nobody was more anxious than he was to do the best thing for the defendant.

Permission was given for a number of Dr. O'Brien's friends to see her before her removal.

## TRINITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN.

### SCHOOL OF COMMERCE.

In a preliminary syllabus relating to the new School of Commerce in Trinity College, Dublin, it is stated that a Diploma in Economics and Commercial Knowledge was established in 1906 but that it had been found necessary to enlarge the scope of cognate studies in the University.

Accordingly, in 1925, a School of Commerce has been established for the purpose of affording to such students as intend to choose a commercial career systematic instruction in those branches of knowledge which will be most useful to them, including the organisation of business. While keeping this object in view, it has been deemed advisable to encourage the student, during his course in the school, to be a member of Trinity College and subject to its regular discipline, giving him at the same time the opportunity of obtaining the advantages of a general University education.

The Degree of Bachelor in Commerce (B.Comm.) has, accordingly, been established by the Senate; and it is hoped that regulations for the further degree of Master in Commerce will shortly be sanctioned.

To obtain the Degree of B.Comm. students must have completed the course and passed the examinations in the School of Commerce, and also have been admitted to the Degree of Bachelor in Arts. The course in Commerce lasts three years and the normal course in Arts four, which may in certain circumstances be reduced to three.

In order to facilitate the attendance of students who desire to pursue practical training in commercial houses concurrently with theoretical training in the school, the lectures in the School of Commerce will be given mainly in the afternoons.

## ADVERTISING THAT PAYS.

"The very best way we can spend funds entrusted to us is by Press advertising." Councillor Patching told the annual meeting at Worthing of the Publicity Association.

The essence of advertising, however, was to keep on hammering it in. It was the cumulative effect of advertisements that really told.

The fines of the human figure are exquisitely curved, and present feminine fashions in shape as well as in walk are physiologically wrong.—Mr. Clement Jeffery.

Human beings never look natural in picture-galleries. Many of them look like uneasy ghosts that have wandered into the wrong hall.—Mr. Robert Lynd.

*GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.*

# ANOTHER BAD WEEK.

## DIOMEDES FAILS.

### CREOLIAN DEFEATS PURPLE SHADE.

From Our Travelling Correspondent.

LONDON, Sunday Night.

A fortnight that has been an exceptionally bad one from the point of view of everyone who is not a bookmaker ended in positive disaster at Hurst Park yesterday. There was, first, the costly defeat of Diomedes, who finished last of seven runners in the race for the Paradise Stakes, and then came the short-head defeat of Purple Shade by the 20 to 1 chance, Creolian, in the Victoria Cup. It was the first time in the course of his meteoric career that Diomedes had been beaten, and there is no excuse for him. He never looked like winning, and he was out of the race very soon after they had turned into the straight. It always did seem a little unlikely that a colt of his great speed would ever stay, yet in that gallop on Long Hill last week he suggested to his trainer that ten furlongs was not beyond his compass. Yesterday, unfortunately, the more severe test of a racecourse proved very conclusively that six furlongs is about the limit of his capacity.

Jack Leach did not, as usual, make the running on him, but lay third or fourth, while Murillo, who was very much favoured in the scale of weights, set a very good gallop. It was such a good gallop, indeed, that the Stockbridge gelding had Diomedes "cold" at the end of seven furlongs. Not for a moment did he ever flatter, and he dropped right back last in the final furlong. It was a remarkable race for the ultimate winner, Sir Charles Hyde's colt, Dignity, for he whipped round at the start, and when they had gone a furlong he must have been a dozen lengths behind the leader. Bullock, however, kept pegging away on him, and about the distance he suddenly loomed up as a possibility. Staying on in very good style he got up to beat Vicot rather easily by a neck, with Kentish Knock, who had run away with a race earlier in the week at Newmarket, two lengths away, third. Dignity had been one of the worst sufferers in the wretched start for the Esher Cup at Sandown the previous week, yet he ran on to finish on top of the placed horses. He is evidently a very good stayer, and his running in his last two races suggests that he is almost up to classic form.

*Purple Shade's Running.*

It may be noted that he is engaged, not only in the Irish Two Thousand Guineas, but in the Irish Derby as well. Ever since he was beaten by only a short head in the Newbury Cup, Purple Shade had been regarded a a good thing for the Victoria Cup on account of the apparent leniency with which the handicapper had treated him, and also because it w[as] thought that the seven furlongs here would suit him better than the Newbury mile. As he was likely to be at a short price—7 to 4 was the best offer against him yesterday—I suggested that Heverswood had a good chance of beating him. It was probably the presence of the son of The Boss in the field that cost Purple Shade the race, for the pair were at each other's throats the whole way, racing clear by themselves. Heverswood was the first to crack, and he had run himself out at the end of six furlongs.

As he began to fade away, Purple Shade swerved a little, but he still had every chance of winning, when the lightly-weighted Creolian challenged on the inside, and, very well ridden by S. Wootton's little apprentice, [illegible]ett, who won the City and Suburban on Greek Bachelor, he got up to beat Purple Shade, who was weakening in the last hundred yards, by a short head. Although he was a good deal fancied by his trainer, C. Leader, Creolian, who had a reputation last year for being ungenerous, started at 20 to 1, and it has thus been the misfortune of the grey colt to be beaten a short head in both the Newbury Cup and the Victoria Cup. Tom Pinch, who was fancied, ran badly. Heverswood was fourth, but the great performance of the race was that of Caravel, who was third under 9st. 5lbs., and third on merit, too, for he was in the forefront all the way.

That wonderful veteran, Sir Charles Nugent, who is in his seventy-ninth year, won a couple of races in the course of the afternoon—a selling plate with Turkish Holiday, who beat Balios easily, and the Claremont Two-Year-Old Plate with the Lomond colt, Fragmond. It was possible at one time to get six or seven to one about this youngster, but although he is returned at evens, it was impossible to get an offer at the finish. He ran very green, and was all over the course; but still he won by a neck from Burnside, giving F. Bullock his third successful ride of the afternoon.

*New Ideas on the Derby.*

Most people will, I imagine, be content to take up a reposeful attitude on the fence for a few weeks more before making up their minds which of the colts is likely to win the Derby. The results of some of the running last week altered a great many preconceived ideas, and until we see what happens in the Newmarket Stakes on Wednesday week next, and in the French Two Thousand this day fortnight, it may not be too wise to express any definite opinion.

Although Picaroon has been thrust back into a more or less prominent position in the betting, I may say that little or no hope is entertained that he will be fit to run in the Derby. The colt had a high temperature for the better part of a week, and that, of course, will have pulled him down a good deal; and, quite apart from the trouble in his leg, this will mean that it will be some weeks before he comes to himself again.

It used to be that the winner of the Two Thousand Guineas became an almost automatic favourite for the Derby, but this has not been so in the case of Manna, and a great many people elect to believe that he will not win at Epsom. Many different reasons are urged for this. One is that he may not stay the distance, because he is a son of Phalaris. Another is that he was the fittest horse in the field on Guineas day, and that some of the others who finished behind him will show more improvement than he in the course of the next few weeks. I can see no valid reason why Manna should not stay the Derby course. He made practically all the running in the Guineas, and was staying on at the end of the race at least as well as any of the others.

Granted that St. Becan, who was second, was a little more backward than Manna, the Beckhampton colt beat him comfortably. Mr. R. C. Dawson's regret after the Guineas was that he did not start the Aga Khan's other candidate, Ayaz, as well as Zionist. This is a beautifully bred colt, by Swynford out of Eos, who even though he is quoted in places at 200 to 1 for the Derby is by no means the forlorn sort of outsider that the odds suggest.

It would be as well, I suppose, to reserve judgment about Ptolemy until after he has run in the French Guineas. Donoghue has the offer of the ride on him at Epsom, and if he should choose him as his mount in preference to Manna it would, of course, be significant. Now that Picaroon is seemingly hopeless the other Manton colt, Cross Bow, is thought to be a likely colt for the Derby, but there is nothing in his form to suggest that he will beat some of the others. The whole Derby situation is at the moment, indeed, confused and puzzling.

*The Current Week.*

We are likely to see quite an unusual proportion of good horses running during the current week. The 2,000 Guineas winner of last season, Diophon, is likely to be started for the Lingfield Park Spring Stakes to-morrow afternoon, and will be opposed by Prompt, who ran so well against Diomedes in the Hurst Park Great T.Y.O. Plate last November. The filly is fancied a good deal, too, on this occasion. On Tuesday at Chester Sansovino is to be started for the Chester Vase, and as the Derby winner will be fitter than when beaten in the City and Suburban he may win this.

The Chester Cup on Wednesday seems open. D'Orsay will be essaying a longer distance than he has ever attempted, but that the colt has some stamina is shown by the fact that he ran well in the Grand Prix De Paris. Labadens is likely to do well, though the course is not an ideal one for him. Spithead is well, and is much fancied, but in his case also the course may be a little too sharp to bring out his best quality, which is stamina. Rugeley has a great deal more weight to carry than when he won last year, although he is fancied again. Imprudence ran a really good race in the Great Metropolitan, and has a very good chance, as has Chapeau. None of Lord Astor's horses run at Chester, so there will be no Cross Bow in the Dee Stakes on Thursday, nor are Conquistador or St. Becan likely to run. I believe that it is likely that Peacock's Derby candidate Roidore, who, like Manna and Oojah, was bred by Mr. J. J. Maher, will be started, and the race may show us whether or not the Middleham colt is an Epsom possibility.

The Jubilee Handicap at Kempton Park on Saturday is, of course, the outstanding event of the week. One hardly knows what to make of Pharos after seeing him so thoroughly beaten in that surprising race for the March Stakes last week. On that running he does not appear to have much chance of giving 7lb. to Bright Knight. Twelve Pointer is a very distinct possibility. This is a brilliant horse, and the race has always been a particularly lucky one for his trainer, Mr. Persse. Salmon Trout is much fancied, and may quite likely start favourite, though I would prefer him over a distance further than the ten furlongs here.

Then there are the two French colts, Tapin and Irismond. There was very little between them in France last year, but here Tapin has to give 8lb. I must confess to knowing nothing about Irismond, but Tapin is better handicapped than in the City and Suburban, and if he should get off with the others he would have a great chance. Obliterate is fancied, and as a consistent colt, who last year was nearly up to classic form, he must be regarded as well handicapped.

The Lingfield Park Spring Stakes to-morrow seems to be between Diophon and PROMPT, and I choose the latter to win. HELTER SKELTER should win the Lingfield Spring Two-Year-Old Plate, and SILVER IDOL the Four Elms Maiden Plate

GALTEE MORE.

# HURST PARK RESULTS.

2.0—PALACE SELLING HANDICAP PLATE of 250 sovs. Three-year-olds. Second 5 sovs. 1 m.
Mr. F. T. Halse's br. f. TURKISH HOLIDAY, by The Visier—Short Holiday, 8-5 F. Bullock 1
Lord Lascelles's BALIOS, 9-0 ........ J. Childs 2
Mr. P. Bartholomew's DOBBY HORSE, 8-3 F. Lane 3

Also ran—Spinning Still (R. Dick), Can Do (H. Jelliss), Candle (F. Fox), Star Rocket (W. Hollick), Royal Standard (H. Robinson), Golden Shadow (R. Spring), Dilemma (R. Jones), Pancake (S. Ingham), Kojinup (C. Smirke), My Pretty Maid (S. Donoghue), Wavini (W. Morton). Off 2.3. (Winner trained by Sir C. Nugent.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—7 to 2 agst. TURKISH HOLIDAY, 5 to 1 Dilemma, 6 to 1 Dobby Horse, 8 to 1 each Kojinup, My Pretty Maid and Balios, 10 to 1 Wavini, 100 to 6 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by two lengths; same. Dilemma was fourth and Golden Shadow last.

An objection was lodged to the winner by the Stewards, but was subsequently withdrawn by them.

The winner was sold to Mr. D. Lindsay for 630 guineas.

2.30—CARDINAL'S T.Y.O. SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. Second 5 sovs. 5 f.
Mrs. J. Bancroft's ZITHERN FILLY, by Foresight, 8-8 ........ R. Jones 1
Mr. S. Cohen's FACILITY COLT, 8-11 W. McLachlan, jun. 2
Mr. A. Bouttall's (jun.) IMMOLATOR, 8-11 H. Jelliss 3

Also ran—Grovella (H. Cheshire), Cannon Ball colt (V. Smyth), Silver Heel (G. Archibald), Adam's Lady (R. Spring), Little Nan gelding (J. Brennan), Lily of the Nile (F. Lane), Esther Fan filly (W. Smyth), Zagara (W. Hollick), Sealed Gate (J. McLoughlin). Off 2.33. (Winner trained by Easterbee.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—3 to 1 agst. Facility colt, 100 to 30 ZITHERN FILLY, 4 to 1 Silver Heel, 9 to 2 Immolator, 8 to 1 Cannon Ball colt, 100 to 7 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by a neck; half a length. Little Nan gelding was fourth and Adam's Lady last.

The winner was bought in for 280 guineas.

3.0—PARADISE STAKES, a sweepstakes of 2 sovs. each with 600 sovs. added. Second 75 sovs., third 25 sovs. Three-year-olds. 1¼ m.
Sir C. Hyde's ch. c. DIGNITY, by Gainsborough—All Orange, 8-13 ........ F. Bullock 1
Major A. F. Vigor's VICOT, 8-10 ........ F. Lane 2
Mrs. A. James's KENTISH KNOCK, 8-13 T. Weston 3
Mr. S. W. Beer's Diomedes, 9-7 ........ J. Leach 0
Sir W. Cooke's Electric Sign, 8-0 ........ M. Beary 0
Mr. W. M. G. Singer's Laughter Tor, 8-0 S. Donoghue 0
Mrs. C. B. Ismay's Murillo, 7-11 ........ J. Lynch 0
Off 3.5. (Winner trained by Scobie.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—5 to 4 agst. Diomedes, 9 to 2 Laughter Tor, 11 to 2 Kentish Knock, 10 to 1 each DIGNITY and Electric Sign, 100 to 9 Vicot, 100 to 6 Murillo. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Murillo made play from Laughter Tor, Electric Sign, Diomedes, and Kentish Knock, with Dignity last, for three furlongs, when Diomedes went on third, but was in difficulties entering the straight. Vicot then closed with Murillo and drew out a quarter of a mile from home, pursued by Dignity, who joined issue at the distance, and, obtaining the lead in the last few strides, won by a neck; two lengths separated second and third. Murillo was fourth, Electric Sign fifth, and Diomedes last.

3.30—VICTORIA CUP, a handicap of 2,000 sovs., a Gold Cup value 250 sovs. or specie, at option of winner, and 1,500 sovs. to winner; 150 sovs. to second, 75 sovs. to third, 25 sovs. to fourth. 7 f.
Mr. J. B. Leigh's br. c. CREOLIAN, by Rochester—Creole, 4, 6-9 ........ J. Sirrett 1
Mrs. J. Bancroft's PURPLE SHADE, 4, 7-8 T. Weston 2
Mr. A. R. Cox's CARAVEL, 4, 9-5 F. Bullock 3
Mr. Sol Joel's Pondoland, 6, 8-11 ... H. Wragg 0
Lord Woolavington's Tom Pinch, 4, 8-10 G. Archibald 0
Sir L. Richardson's Heverswood, 4, 8-9 C. Elliott 0
Mr. B. Cohen's Jarvie, 5, 8-4 ...... S. Donoghue 0
Lord Astor's Black Sheep, 4, 7-11 W. Marland 0
Sir H. Meux's Donzelon, 4, 7-11 ...... M. Beary 0
Sir W. Cooke's Heliaster, 5, 7-6 ...... R. Jones 0
Mr. J. Doyle's Tranquillette, 4, 7-2 ... J. Doyle 0
Mr. W. A. Higgs's Mother's Son, 4, 7-1 G. Richards 0
Mrs. C. Stevens's Abbey Island, a, 6-11 A. Berry 0
Off 3.35. (Winner trained by C. Leader.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—7 to 4 agst. Purple Shade, 9 to 2 Heverswood, 9 to 1 Tom Pinch, 10 to 1 Jarvie, 100 to 8 each Heliaster and Pondoland, 100 to 6 Caravel, 20 to 1 CREOLIAN or any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Heverswood and Purple Shade, in close company on the right, showed the way to Jarvie on the right, Mother's Son in the centre, Abbey Island, Creolian on the left, Heliaster on the outside, Caravel on the inside, and Donzelon, for about half the journey, when Mother's Son and Heliaster weakened, Creolian going on third, followed by Jarvie, Caravel, Donzelon and Tranquillette. At the distance Jarvie and Heverswood were in difficulties; thereupon Creolian dashed through on the inside, and, getting on terms with Purple Shade in the last two or three strides, won amidst great excitement by a short head; a length and a half separated second and third. Heverswood was fourth, Donzelon fifth, Tranquillette sixth, Jarvie seventh, Abbey Island eighth, Mother's Son ninth, Heliaster tenth, and Pondoland last. Time—1 min. 26 secs.

Draw for places—No. 1 (inside), Caravel; 2, Pondoland; 3, Tranquillette; 4, Tom Pinch; 5, Black Sheep; 6, Abbey Island; 7, Creolian; 8, Donzelon; 9, Mother's Son; 10, Purple Shade; 11, Jarvie; 12, Heverswood; 13, Heliaster.

4.0—CLAREMONT T.Y.O. PLATE of 200 sovs. Second 35 sovs., third 15 sovs. 5 f.
Mr. F. T. Halse's b. c. FRAGMOND, by Lomond—Fragant, 8-12 ........ F. Bullock 1
Sir W. Gilbey's BURNSIDE, 8-9 ... J. Brennan 2
Mr. Z. G. Michalinos's TRAFFORD, 8-9 S. Donoghue 3

Also ran—Hon Fruity (G. Richards), Bright Rays (C. Elliott), Syndapa (F. Fox), Mountain Gift (T. Weston), Flitteril (M. Beary), Sonninia (J. Halden), Polish Glory (A. Burns), Prince Gwynedd (E. Piper), Castlewise filly (J. Evans), The Wishing Well (M. Randall). Off 4.3. (Winner trained by Nugent.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—Evens FRAGMOND, 5 to 1 each agst. Trafford filly and Bright Rays colt, 20 to 1 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by a neck; three lengths. Flittervil gelding was fourth, and Sonninia last.

4.30—DURHAM HANDICAP PLATE of 250 sovs. Second 35 sovs., third 15 sovs. 2 m. 2 f. 9 yds.
Mrs. D'Arcy Baker's b. g. ARUNTIUS, by Call o' the Wild—Wine Gal, 4, 7-6 ... T. Weston 1
Mr. V. P. Misa's POLAZEL, 4, 7-10 C. Smirke 2
Mr. A. W. Gordon's PERFECTUS, 6, 9-5 J. Childs 3

Also ran—Shagreen (V. Smyth), Vic's Choice (R. Jones), Child of the Hills (J. Brennan), British Warm (W. Marland), Old Nic (S. Donoghue), View Label (A. Burns), Ash Tray (G. Richards), Tuscan (C. Ringstead). Off 4.33. (Winner trained by E. Martin.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—5 to 2 each agst. Perfectus and Polazel, 6 to 1 ARUNTIUS, 8 to 1 each Shagreen, Child of the Hills and Ash Tray, 100 to 8 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by a neck; three lengths. Old Nic was fourth, and Tuscan last.


# TIPPERARY (BARRONSTOWN) RACES,

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, 3rd and 4th JUNE, 1925.

All Races CLOSE on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 6th May, with Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 9 Hume street, Dublin. Telegrams: "Turfclub, Dublin."

FIRST DAY.

THE TIPPERARY PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second will receive 10 sovs. A steeplechase for maidens. Entrance 1 sov. Two miles and a quarter.

THE VISITORS' PLATE of 80 sovs., of which the second will receive 3 sovs. A weight-for-age flat race. Entrance 15/-. Two miles and a quarter.

THE STAND PLATE of 55 sovs., of which the second will receive 5 sovs. An open weight-for-age steeplechase. Entrance 10/-. Three miles.

THE SANTOI PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second will receive 3 sovs. A handicap flat race. Entrance 15/-. One mile and three-quarters.

THE RAILWAY PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second will receive 3 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. Entrance 15/-. One mile and a half.

SECOND DAY.

THE BARRONSTOWN PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second will receive 10 sovs. An open weight-for-age steeplechase. Entrance 1 sov. Two miles and a quarter.

THE TOWN PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second will receive 5 sovs. A handicap flat race. Entrance 15/-. One mile and three furlongs.

THE TRADESMAN'S PLATE of 55 sovs., of which the second will receive 3 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. Entrance 10/-. Three miles.

THE TALLY-HO PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second will receive 3 sovs. A weight-for-age flat race. Entrance 15/-. One mile and three-quarters.

THE JUNCTION PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A weight-for-age hurdle race. Entrance 15/-. One mile and a half.

Further particulars from J. P. Hartigan, Clerk of the Course, 7 Davis street, Limerick. Telegrams—"Horses, Limerick." —(Advt.)


# PHŒNIX PARK.

## EXCITING RACING.

## PROMISING DEBUT OF FEDAMORE IN LODER PLATE.

### VESINGTON KING'S FINE EFFORT.

Punchestown week wound up in brilliant style on Saturday at Phœnix Park, where a big company enjoyed some particularly interesting sport. The rain, which threatened all the morning, happily held off, and the weather, if somewhat chilly, was agreeable. With the going in first-rate order, it was not surprising to find runners forthcoming in goodly numbers for the various races, and if the results were not all to the liking of the majority of backers, the racing was not lacking in excitement, for there were some capital finishes.

The most of the eleven runners for the Clondalkin Plate were steeplechase or hurdle race horses, and all were meeting on level terms. Goffee, who had some useful form over fences, was selected for favouritism, but Mrs. Croft's horse never held out much hope for his backers, being done with a long way from home, and the spoils fell an easy prey to the hitherto disappointing Scarlet Pimpernel, who had run eight times last season without catching the "judge's eye." When Lady Boveen retired beaten half-way through the race Scarlet Pimpernel dominated the situation and experienced no difficulty in shaking off White Hill in the closing stages.

Vesington King put up a gallant effort to win the Castletown Plate under the crushing impost of 10st. 7lb. and beat everything except Dalcassian, to whom he was conceding no less than 47lb. The Curragh winner, Deflation, early had established such a useful lead that for a long way it looked as if he would score, but a bad swerve at half-way lost him considerable ground which he never afterwards could make up, and then it was that Dalcassian slipped away from the field. In the last furlong Vesington King put in his effort and gradually lessened the gap, but the weight eventually told its tale. In only failing by half a length to give away so much poundage to one of his own age Mr. H. Hartigan's good horse must be credited with a fine performance.

The Clonsilla Plate, a mile handicap, provided one of the most exciting races of the season and was worth going a long way to see. Carrif, after leading the field for six furlongs, dropped out of the fighting line, and then ensued a splendid finish between Sed, Maureen M. and Tailte. The name of each in turn was shouted as the winner, and even when the winning post was passed few could say which had won until Sed's number was hoisted on the board. the judge's verdict being a short-head victory for Mr. P. Clarke's horse from Maureen M., with Tailte, a head off, third. It was a thrilling tussle, and the probability is that but for beginning a trifle slowly Maureen M. might have reversed the placings with Sed.

When the eleven runners for the Loder Plate were announced backers at once declared for Fedamore, a daughter of Spearmint and Minerva, who was now making her first acquaintance with a racecourse. Despite the fact that she was appearing for the first time and opposed by such as Dee Street and Folle Farine, the confidence in Captain Brassey's filly was so strong that odds were freely laid on her chance, and she fully justified the high opinions formed of her. Striking off smartly from the barrier and showing no signs of greenness in her running, she led for the entire journey and won in impressive style from Folle Farine and Marlhill Lass, who were her nearest attendants, practically all the way. The winner, who is a nice stamp of filly, was bred by Major Giles Loder and purchased at Messrs. Goff's Ballsbridge yearling sales last August by Mr. H. M. Hartigan on behalf of Captain Brassey, the price paid being 1,000 guineas.

There was another close finish for the Clontarf Plate, and the position of backers was not improved when the outsider, Tiber, overhauled the well-supported Miss Nurmi in the last few strides to score a neck victory, subsequent to which Mr. T. Coombs had to go to 200 sovs. to retain the son of Romus. Green Park, despite the many disappointments he had caused his connections in the past, was again relied upon for the Castleknock Plate, for which the only other backed with any confidence was Ballyboley. Of the pair, Green Park made the better showing, but, while prominent throughout, she was always held safe by the outsider. Glenmakerin, who is trained for the Northern owner, Captain H. Dixon, by J. Ruttle, at New Abbey, Kilcullen. Details:—

3.0—THE CLONDALKIN PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. For maidens. 9st. each. 1 m. 7 f. and 160 yds.
Mr. C. Fagan's ch. c. SCARLET PIMPERNEL, by William Rufus—Lady Lusmore, 5, 9-0 J. Moylan 1
Mr. M. Dawson's WHITE HILL, 4, 9-0 Jos. Canty 2
Mr. J. T. Rogers's THE GUIDON, 5, 9-0 W. Buckley 3
Mr. J. T. Clinton's Eagle's Home, 5, 9-0 J. Patman 0
Mrs. Croft's Goffee, 6, 9-0 ........ M. Wing 0
Mr. W. B. Hayes's Lady Boveen, 6, 9-0 S. Duffy 0
Mr. E. W. Hope Johnstone's Ardenus, 6, 9-0 D. Ward 0
Mr. Parkinson's Fleak Bridge, 5, 9-0 P. Beasley 0
Mr. P. Rogers's Northern Linnet, 5, 9-0 E. Quirke 0
Mrs. M. G. Scott's Amina, 5, 9-0 .... Jos. Harty 0
Mr. L. S. Ward's Brave May, 5, 9-0 .... Owner 0
(Winner trained by M. Gleeson.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. Goffee, 4 to 1 White Hill, 5 to 1 SCARLET PIMPERNEL, 8 to 1 The Guidon, 100 to 8 any other.

Lady Boveen settled down from Scarlet Pimpernel, Goffee, Brave May, Ardenus, Northern Linnet, White Hill, and The Guidon for half the journey, when Scarlet Pimpernel went on in front, followed by Ardenus, Goffee, Northern Linnet, and White Hall. The last-named took second place two furlongs from home, but failed to make any impression on Scarlet Pimpernel, who won easily by five lengths; twenty-five lengths divided second and third. Brave May was fourth, Ardenus fifth, Goffee sixth, Northern Linnet seventh, and Amina next. Time—3 mins. 49 1-5 secs.

3.30—THE CASTLETOWN PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap. 5 f.
Mrs. J. Flynn's b. g. DALCASSIAN, by Percival Keene, dam by Irishman—Memoria II., 3, 7-2 ........ J. Lenehan 1
Mr. H. M. Hartigan's VESINGTON KING, 4, 10-7 ........ Jos. Canty 2
Mr. A. M'Cann's OLLA, 3, 7-2 ...... W. Treacy 3
Mrs. T. Coombs's Deflation, 5, 10-7 W. Howard 0
Mr. Bartholomew's Roiran, 6, 9-12 ...... S. Duffy 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Grey Point, 4, 9-9 E. Quirke 0
Mr. J. F. Downey's Pasol, 4, 7-9 .. W. Redmond 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Colin Moor, 4, 7-9 P. Beasley 0
Mr. M. Arnott's Glimpse, 3, 7-12 ...... D. Ward 0
Mr. A. B. Coyle's Sans Souci, 4, 7-7 ...... J. Dines 0
(Winner trained by P. J. Lenehan.)

Betting—5 to 2 each agst. Olla and Sans Souci, 4 to 1 DALCASSIAN, 6 to 1 Glimpse, 100 to 14 Deflation, 100 to 8 any other.

Deflation set the pace to Sans Souci, Pasol, Dalcassian, Grey Point, Vesington King and Olla for three furlongs, when Deflation swerved and lost his place. Dalcassian then drew into the lead, and, resisting a challenge from Vesington King, won by half a length; four lengths divided second and third. Grey Point was fourth, Sans Souci fifth, Colin Moor sixth, Pasol seventh, and Deflation next. Time—63 1-5 secs.

4.0—THE CLONSILLA PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap. 1 m.
Mr. Patrick Clarke's ch. c. SED, by Irishman—The Moonstone, 3, 7-7 ........ J. Patman 1
Mr. J. Scott's MAUREEN M., 3, 7-9 ... J. Dines 2
Mr. R. Cargill's TAILTE, 6, 7-9 .... J. Lenehan 3
Mrs. T. O'K. White's Louvois Prize, 4, 8-12 W. Treacy 0
Mrs. B. C. Ross's Carrif, 4, 9-3 ...... J. Moylan 0
Mr. T. P. O'Neill's Flying Prince, 5, 8-11 P. Beasley 0
Mr. J. H. C. Bartholomew's Tredina, 4, 9-1 S. Duffy 0
Mr. R. N. Caddell's Buntz, 3, 8-6 ...... D. Ward 0
Col. Honner's King's Falloch, 4, 7-12 R. Cullen 0
Mr. A. D. Comyn's Oppressormore, 3, 8-3 M. Wing 0
Mr. P. Myerscough's Bachelor's Doll, 4, 7-10 T. Brown 0
Mr. P. Thorpe's Pauline's Pride, 3, 7-2 John Doyle 0
(Winner trained by E. Fordred.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. Maureen M., 5 to 2 Carrif, 6 to 1 each Louvois Prize and Tailte, 10 to 1 each SED and Bachelor's Doll, 100 to 6 any other.

Maureen M. and Bachelor's Doll began slowly, and Carrif set the pace to Sed, Louvois Prize, Tailte, Oppressormore, Flying Prince and Maureen M. So they ran for six furlongs, when Carif retired and Sed was joined by Maureen M. and Tailte, and in a fine finish Sed won by a short head; a head divided second and third. King's Falloch was fourth, Carrif fifth, Louvois Prize sixth, and Oppressormore next. Time—1 min. 47 2-5 secs.

4.30—THE LODER PLATE of 210 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. For two-year-olds. 5 f.
Capt. R. B. Brassey's b. f. FEDAMORE, by Spearmint—Minerva, 8-8 ........ J. Moylan 1
Mr. T. Coombs's FOLLE FARINE, 9-1 W. Howard 2
Mrs. W. P. Ryan's MARLHILL LASS, 8-8 J. Dines 3
Mr. W. Burke's Hall Boy, 9-12 ...... M. Barrett 0
Capt. Dixon's Dee Street, 8-12 ...... Jos. Canty 0
Mr. C. Wadia's Free From Care, 8-12 W. Buckley 0
Mr. A. B. Coyle's Melleray's Star, 8-8 T. L. Brown 0
Mrs. F. H. Brooke's Miss Alma, 8-8 ... D. Ward 0
Mr. F. Clarke's Memories, 8-8 J. Rafferty, jun. 0
Mr. T. P. O'Neill's Erin Green, 8-8 ... E. Quirke 0
Mr. J. Shell's Kro Flite, 8-8 ........ Jno. Doyle 0
(Winner trained by H. Hartigan.)

Betting—2 to 1 on FEDAMORE, 6 to 1 each agst. Folle Farine and Dee Street, 100 to 8 any other.

Fedamore made the running from Hall Boy, Folle Farine, Marlhills Lass, Dee Street, Kro Flite, Miss Alma and Free From Care. Inside the distance Folle Farine and Marlhills Lass closed with Fedamore, who, however, retained the lead and won by a length and a half; a length divided second and third. Mellaray's Star was fourth, Kro Flite fifth, and Dee Street next. Time—65 4-5 secs.

5.0—THE CLONTARF PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A selling race. For two years old. 5 f.
Mr. T. Coombs's ch. c. TIBER, by Romus—Hautot, 9-0 ........ W. Howard 1
Mr. P. J. Lenehan's MISS NURMI, 8-10 J. Lenehan 2
Mr. J. Doyle's LADY SILVERN, 8-5 Jno. Doyle 3
Mr. D. J. Cogan's Polish Princess, 8-10 P. Kearney 0
Mr. M. Dawson's Crafty, 8-5 ........ W. Treacy 0
Mr. J. A. Farrell's Irish Bridge, 8-10 ... D. Ward 0
Mr. T. A. Fleming's Leemtee, 8-10 ... Joe. Harty 0
Mr. A. H. Macaulay's Radiana, 8-10 .... M. Wing 0
Mr. J. T. Rogers's Half Share, 8-5 ... W. Hamill 0
Mr. R. C. Ross's Irish Society, 8-10 J. Moylan 0
Major Shirley's More Merriement, 8-10 R. Cullen 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—3 to 1 each agst. Lady Silvern and More Merriement, 4 to 1 Miss Nurmi, 5 to 1 Radiana, 100 to 8 TIBER and any other.

Miss Nurmi, jumping off in front of Lady Silvern, Crafty, Leemtee, Tiber, More Merriment, and Half Share, made the running to inside the distance, where Tiber challenged and won by a neck; half a length divided second and third. Half Share was fourth, More Merriment fifth, Leemtee sixth, Radiant seventh, and Irish Bridge next. Time—66 secs.

The winner was bought in for 200 sovs.

5.30—THE CASTLEKNOCK PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. Weight for age, etc. 6 f.
Capt. Dixon's b. f. GLENMAKERIN, by Cygnus—Fairy View, 3, 8-2 ........ J. Dines 1
Mr. J. P. Hogan's GREEN PARK, 4, 8-9 E. Quirke 2
Mr. D. J. Cogan's HONEY GIRL, 3, 8-2 D. Ward 3
Mr. A. B. Coyle's Ballyboley, 3, 8-12 T. Brown 0
Mr. A. D. Comyn's Orbruna, 3, 8-2 ... M. Wing 0
Mr. A. McCann's Chicane, 3, 8-2 ... W. Treacy 0
Mr. J. H. H. Peard's Irish Melody, 3, 8-2 J. Connolly 0
Major Shirley's Magheross, 3, 8-2 ...... R. Cullen 0
Mr. P. Thorpe's Cill-Gobann, 3, 8-2 Jno. Doyle 0
(Winner trained by J. Ruttle.)

Betting—Evens Green Park, 2 to 1 agst Ballyboley, 10 to 1 each GLENMAKERIN any any other.

Glenmakerin, striking off the quickest, came on in front of Magheross, Green Park, Ballyboley, Orbruna, and Honey Girl. After three furlongs Green Park took second place, but failed to make any impression on Glenmakerin, who won by a length; three lengths divided second and third. Orbruna was fourth, Magheross fifth, Chicane sixth, and Ballyboley next. Time—64 2-5 secs.

# THIRSK.

## LUSS SPRINGS A SURPRISE.

### IRISH DRUM DROPS DEAD.

The conditions for the concluding stage of the Thirsk Meeting were much more favourable than on Friday, for the air was warmer, and the meeting can be put down as a big success, even if the sport was provided chiefly by moderate horses. In the Thormanby Selling Plate Merry Wit and Andante, who had finished first and second at Stockton, when the former was disqualified, were again in opposition, and although Andante had a 5lb. disadvantage she was made favourite. She finished a long way behind Merry Wit, but Frank Hartigan's filly was in turn beaten a neck by Little Red Riding Hood.

Baalbek provided another winner for Vasey and J. Taylor when he won the Sowerby Selling Handicap, the Doncaster horse easily shaking off the challenge of Crail. Passing the stands the first time Irish Drum dropped dead, but, fortunately, young Leach was thrown clear and escaped unhurt.

Luss provided a surprise in the Byland Handicap, in which she scored comfortably from the favourite, Dunin. The latter appeared to have a big chance when he deprived Eltonian of the lead two furlongs out, but Luss finished much the stronger and won on her merits.

The presence of Blackwood frightened away several likely candidates in the White Mare Plate, and he led practically all the way and won easily.

The end came with an objection to Ifwedo, who won the Falcon Plate by half a length, on the ground of crossing, and, this proving fatal, the race was awarded to Broad Gauge, much to the satisfaction of the backers, who were thus enabled to wind up with a success.

1.45—THORMANBY TWO-YEAR-OLD SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. Second receives 10 sovs. 5 f.
Mrs. John Johnston's ch. f. LITTLE RED RIDING HOOD, by Glanmerin—Chaperon, 8-4 ........ A. Orme 1
Mr. F. Hartigan's MERRY WIT, 8-9 ... F. Winter 2
Mr. W. Webster's OFFSPRING, 8-9 ... C. Parker 3

Also ran—Hudson River (H. Leach), Bright Fire (J. Goggins), It Snows (G. Hulme), Lady Tara c. (W. Birch), Nuala (T. Hardy), Princess Lina (L. Brown), Nurmi (Crisp), Wild Lassie (J. Harding), Bold Peggy (A. Balding), Andante (J. Thwaites), Morlena (J. Beasley), Sea Surf g. (Perryman), Cute Lass (J. Taylor). Off 1.49. (Winner trained by J. Renwick.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—5 to 2 agst. Andante, 4 to 1 each Merry Wit and Bold Peggy, 10 to 1 Hudson River, 100 to 8 each LITTLE RED RIDING HOOD and Cute Lass, 100 to 6 any other.

"Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by a neck; a head. Morlena was fourth and Hudson River last.

The winner was bought in for 400 guineas.

2.15—SOWERBY SELLING HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. Second receives 10 sovs. 1½ m.
Mr. H. Mollekin's ch. g. BAALBEK, by Aleppo—Jubilee, a, 9-1 ........ J. Taylor 1
Mr. J. Kinney's CRAIL, a, 7-12 ...... G. Walsh 2
Mr. G. W. Dick's HIGH COLOUR, a, 7-13 J. Dobie 3

Also ran—H.R.H. (R. Crisp), Snow Lea (A. Lindborg), Rayon (B. Lynch), Aquamint (A. Orme), Pungent (F. Hodges), Irish Drum (H. Leach). Off 2.15. (Winner trained by Vasey.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—5 to 2 agst. Crail, 3 to 1 BAALBEK, 5 to 1 each Rayon and Irish Drum, 6 to 1 High Colour, 100 to 8 any other.

"Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by four lengths; two lengths. Aquamint was fourth and Rayon last.

There was no bid for the winner.

2.45—BYLAND HANDICAP PLATE of 150 sovs. Second receives 10 sovs. and third 5 sovs. 5 f.
Mrs. H. D. Bazley's b. m. LUSS, by Lomond—Gelignite, a, 7-7 ........ J. Harding 1
Mr. F. S. Jopling's DUNIN, 5, 8-7 ... J. Taylor 2
Mr. A. Skelton's ELTONIAN, 5, 8-6 ... F. Winter 3

Also ran—Too Eager (Thwaites), Pride of Inglewood (G. Walsh), Royal M. (F. Taylor), Silver Mine (Lindborg), Hornless (C. Parker), Archeress (C. Roberts), Joanfax (Hodges), Hard Times (H. Leach), Four Fours (Bramhald), French Bean (Dobie), Jestaway (F. Harvey). Off 2.45. (Winner trained by Bazley.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—7 to 2 agst. Dunin, 5 to 1 each Eltonian, Hard Times and Silver Mine, 10 to 1 LUSS, 100 to 8 any other.

"Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by a length and a half; a length. Royal M. was fourth and French Bean last.

3.15—WHITE MARE TWO-YEAR-OLD PLATE of 200 sovs. Second receives 20 sovs., and third 10 sovs. 5 f.
Sir A. Johnstone's b. g. BLACKWOOD, by Black Jester—Lady Sylvia, 9-3 T. Pryor 1
Mr. N. Field's GLENDERLINE, 8-7 ... Taylor 2
Capt. A. S. Wilson's RUNAMINE, 8-7 Thwaites 3

Also ran—Lady Lachine c. (A. Hullah), Blue Mountain (R. Crisp), Allerton (J. Harding), Albatross (Girdley), Humiliation g. (J. Beasley), Alice (H. Leach), Picotee f. (G. Hulme), Muselita (J. Taylor), White Bird (F. Winter). Off 3.10. (Winner trained by Hogg.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—5 to 2 on BLACKWOOD, 10 to 1 each agst. White Bird and Albatross, 100 to 8 any other.

"Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by a length and a half; three-parts of a length.

3.45—GORMIRE HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. Second receives 20 sovs. and third 10 sovs. 1 m.
Mr. Brook's b. h. GARRISON, by Corcyra—Chatham II., 5, 7-9 ........ C. Parker 1
Mr. J. Rhodes's ADAM'S WISHES, 5, 7-11 Perryman 2
Sir L. Green's SWEET CLEMATIS, 6, 8-2 Thwaites 3

Also ran—Soval (J. Taylor), Corolet (E. Fox), Springdale (G. Walsh), Roi Du Ciel (Harvey), Audax (H. Leach), Piltdown (W. Birch), Theonine (J. Harding), Proud Magic (A. Orme), Woolley Bridge (B. Lynch), Baby's Bottle (J. Harding), Bolt from the Blue (Lindberg). Off 3.45. (Winner trained by T. Green).

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—3 to 1 agst. Springdale, 5 to 1 Baby's Bottle, 6 to 1 each GARRISON and Sweet Clematis, 7 to 1 Bolt from the Blue, 8 to 1 Audax, 100 to 8 Soval, 100 to 7 any other.

"Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by a length and a half; two lengths. Springdale was fourth and Bolt from the Blue last.

4.15—FALCON PLATE of 150 sovs. Second receives 10 sovs. and third 5 sovs. 1¼ m.
Mr. J. Bell's ch. g. BROAD GAUGE, by Bridge of Earn—Scaramuccia, 3, 7-9 ........ R. Crisp 1
Mr. H. Dorrington's BELL HEATHER, 3, 8-2 G. Hulme 2
Mr. J. C. Spivoy's LIFE LINE, 3, 7-9 C. Parker 3

Also ran—Howe Hill (J. Taylor), Bonnie Kelso (Bramhall), Betty's Fancy (J. Dobie), Theani (F. Taylor), Ifwedo (Thwaites) (disq.). Off 4.15. (Winner trained by W. Renwick.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—6 to 4 agst. BROAD GAUGE, 7 to 4 Bell Heather, 7 to 1 Howe Hill, 10 to 1 Ifwedo, 100 to 7 any other.

"Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by half a length; two lengths. Life Line was fourth, and Theani last.

An objection to Ifwedo, who finished first, for crossing was sustained, and the race awarded to Broad Gauge, Life Line being placed third.

## SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

*Daily Mail*:—Special selection—Sansovino.
*Westminster Gazette*:—Double—Gipsy Lass and Silver Idol. To-day's best—Gipsy Lass.
*Daily Express*:—Double — Philter and Silver Idol. Safety bet—Philter (to win).
*Daily Mirror*:—Double—Philter and Silver Idol (nap).
*Daily Graphic*:—Double—Polyphonia and Diophon.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# LINGFIELD.

## TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

Being without opposition, the one-day fixture under Jockey Club Rules at Lingfield Park to-day should attract a good attendance. Unfortunately, the principal event, the Spring Stakes, will not bring together a very large field, but nevertheless some good-class runners will contest this valuable prize. Lambton will be represented by Sansovino in preference to Pharos, Schiavoni and Domenico, and as last year's Derby winner should have benefited as the result of his race in the City and Suburban he is certain to require an immensity of beating. El Cacique has also arrived on the scene of action, and Sir George Bullough's colt is fully expected to improve on his fourth behind Picaroon in the Craven Stakes at Newmarket last month. Another with strong claims for consideration is Blue Pete, who won two of his four engagements as a three-year-old, and, as Sir William Cooke's son of Corcyra is set to receive no fewer than 32lb. from Sansovino, I make him my choice. Selections:—

Surrey Plate—**India's Charm.***
Burstow Handicap—**Philter.**
Spring Stakes—**Blue Pete.**
Spring Plate—**Mont Aiguille.**
Felbridge Handicap—**Silver Sword.**
Four Elms Plate—**Santa Savina.**
DOUBLE—**India's Charm** and **Santa Savina.**

1.50—SURREY T.Y.O. PLATE (S.) of 200 sovs. 5 f. st. lb.
INDIA'S CHARM (Mr. Escott) ........ Owner 9 0
ENSHRINE (Lord Dewar) ........ F. Darling 9 0
NIC F. by Regal (Sir H. Bird) ... Hammond 8 11
SIBYLINE F. by Cylba (Mrs. N. Brownlee) Butchers 8 11
INCOMPLETE (Mr. Davison) ........ E. Piggott 8 11
KARENA (Lt.-Col. R. R. Johnson) ... Owner 8 11
AVERIL (Mr. F. Luscombe) ........ C. Waugh 8 11
KISH-LE-SHEE G. by Louvois (Mr. B. Runciman) ........ Owner 8 11
BESTOWED (Eleanor Lady Torrington) Bartholomew 8 11
(The above have arrived.)
EAGLE'S CORRIE (Mr. Gordon) ........ Jarvis 9 7
PEGGY'S PRIDE (Mrs. Higgins) ... Hackett 9 0
RISBORO' (Mr. W. A. Higgs) ........ Owner 9 0
TICTAC (Mrs. J. Putnam) ........ Private 9 0
OFF CHANCE C. by Lemberg (Mr. W. A. Read) ........ Foster 9 0
URALITE (Mr. C. V. Tabor) ........ Owner 9 0
VIPOND (Mrs. E. M. Tabor) ........ Tabor 9 0
POLYPHONIA (Mrs. Ling) ........ Smyth 9 0
CRIMSON C. by Marcus (Mr. Jarvis) Owner 9 0
ALICE (Mr. S. W. Beer) ........ Leach, jun. 8 11
ELBA F. by Coriander (Capt. Bennett) Batho 8 11
SURPRISE PARTY (Mr. Benson) .... Piggott 8 11
DAYGOWN F. by Forcett (Mr. Hands) Batho 8 11
VAIN LADY G. by Irishman (Mr. A. Boutall, jun.) ........ Higgs 8 11
CICELY F. by Rocksavage (Sir W. Cooke) Platt 8 11
GREEDY GIRL F. by Simon Square (Sir Hugo Cunliffe-Owen) ........ O. Bell 8 11
HAPPY MAID F. by Rich Gift (Mr. A. Douglas-Pennant) ........ Hogg 8 11
ROMAN MASK (Mr. Gordon) ...... J. Jarvis 8 11
GAY GAME (Mrs. S. Joel) ........ Earl 8 11
HAPPY SHEILA (Mr. L. Lysaght) .... Watts 8 11
NATICA F. by Blink (Mrs. Rich) Nightingall 8 11
FLOR FINA (Mr. T. Walls) ........ Owner 8 11
PETRELLA (Col. Wallington) ...... H. Escott 8 11
ELOQUENCE (Sir M. Wilson) .... Nightingall 8 11
NORTHERN MAID (Mr. Wootton) ... Owner 8 11
CARMENMELIS F. by Loch Lomond (Mr. C. R. Wylam) ........ J. Rhodes 8 11

2.20—BURSTOW SELLING HANDICAP of 200 sovs. 1½ m. Age st. lb.
DRIVE ON (Sir A. Butt) ...... Woodland 6 9 0
MONTAGUE (Mr. R. Day) ........ Owner 5 8 6
ROYAL PLUMAGE (Mr. Thornton) Dodd 4 8 1
THE MOUNT (Mr. F. J. Benson) E. Piggott 4 8 1
GAIRLOCH (Mr. J. W. Harvie) .. G. Poole 4 8 1
DUPLICITY (H.H. Maharaja of Rajpipla) Bartholomew 6 7 13
PRESUMPTUOUS (Mr. Cribbin) .. Clancy a 7 8
OAK TWIG (Mr. A. Goldwater) Hammond 5 6 2
(The above have arrived.)
LORD OFFALY (Mrs. E. Brock) .. Bennett 6 9 2
VERNEUIL II. (Mr. T. R. Higgins) Hackett 5 8 10
DERVISH (Mr. A. Clark) ........ Killalee a 8 8
PHILTER (Mr. O. M. Smith) ........ Dale 5 8 7
MASTER BLACK (Mr. J. W. Colt) Craven a 8 7
ERSKINE (Mr. P. Thrale) ........ Tabor 5 8 5
PRINCE REGENT (Mr. H. Smyth) Owner a 8 5
TREBLE SCOTCH (Mrs. L. Palmer) W. Payne a 8 4
INDIGO (Mr. A. R. Firkins) .... Private 5 8 4
ALFRED THE GREAT (Mr. Thornton) Dodd 4 8 4
THRACIAN (Mr. A. E. MacColl) .. Owner 5 8 2
FANION (Mr. H. Lacy) .... J. Reardon 5 8 1
KROON BELLE (Mr. R. C. More) Private a 8 0
HAREWICK (Mr. A. Prince) ...... Hedges 4 8 0
TRACERY BULLET (Mrs. T. Layton) .. 4 7 12
ALIETTE (Mr. T. A. Edge) ...... G. Poole 4 7 12
BOULT (Mr. G. N. Bennett) ...... Owner 4 7 11
WHITE HAIRED BOY (Mr. Cheer) Binstead 5 7 9
PIN PAN KIT (Mrs. Stevens) .. Stevens 3 7 4
SNOW MAN (Mr. Wood) ........ Stanley a 7 1
LORD BEN (Mr. A. H. Boutall) .. Higgs 3 6 10

2.50—LINGFIELD PARK SPRING STAKES of 10 sovs. each, with 500 sovs. added. Second, 50 sovs.; third, 25 sovs. 1 m. Age st. lb.
SANSOVINO (Ld. Derby) ........ Lambton 4 9 4
DIOPHON (H.H. Aga Khan) R. Dawson 4 9 4
EL CACIQUE (Sir G. Bullough) ... Jarvis 3 8 0
VALOROUS (Sir W. Cooke) ........ Platt 3 7 0
BLUE PETE (Sir W. Cooke) ........ Platt 3 7 0
(The above have arrived.)
PARTH (Mr. A. K. Macomber) Crawford 5 9 7
PHAROS (Ld. Derby) ........ Lambton 5 9 7
TOM PINCH (Ld. Woolavington) F. Darling 4 9 4
MR. BLISS (Mrs. D. Gardner) ... Dawson 4 9 4
PURPLE SHADE (Mrs. Bancroft) Easterbee 4 9 4
ALL GREEN (Mr. J. Bell) ........ Pope 4 8 11
BUCKS YEOMAN (Sir A. Bailey) ... Day 4 8 10
OLD ROWLEY (Mr. W. M. Cazalet) Taylor 4 8 4
SOLARIS (Mrs. Rudd) ........ Tash 7 8 4
COMUS (Sir J. Robinson) ... Leach, sen. 4 8 4
SEA HAWK (Mr. R. Tyler) ........ Duller 4 8 4
LADY BLACKTHORN (Mrs. Russell) Hartigan 3 8 0
PONS ASINORUM (Mr. Lowry) Powney 3 8 0
SAUCY SUE (Ld. Astor) ........ Taylor 3 7 11
PROMPT (Mr. S. Joel) ........ Earl 3 7 11
TREASURER (Ld. Glanely) .... Harling 3 7 7
MAXIM GUN (Lady Ludlow) Pickering 3 7 7
LOVE SONNET (Sir R. Jardine) ... Colling 3 7 4
ATAMAN (Mr. W. Raphael) .. G. Sadler 3 7 4
SET FAST (Mr. S. Joel) ........ Earl 3 7 0
QUEEN'S ISLAND (Sir W. Cooke) .. Platt 3 7 0
THE BUCHANITE (Mr. J. Corrigan) Waugh 3 7 0
SCHIAVONI (Ld. Derby) ........ Lambton 3 7 0
JOY RIDE (Ld. Rosebery) .... J. Jarvis 3 7 0
DOMENICO (Ld. Derby) ........ Lambton 3 7 0
SCEPTICAL (Mr. R. F. Watson) .... Taylor 3 6 11

3.20—LINGFIELD SPRING T.Y.O. PLATE of 200 sovs. 5 f. st. lb.
COMPILATION (Mr. L. Schaverien) .... Nugent 9 0
MISUNDERSTOOD C., by Friar Marcus (Sir William Cooke) ........ Platt 8 11
RHODOPE F., by Grey Fox II. (Mr. Z. G. Michalinos) ........ F. Scott 8 11
MONT AIGUILLE (D. of Portland) F. Darling 8 11
LYDIE III. C., by St. Tudwal (Mrs. N. Brownlee) ........ Butchers 8 9
BLUE SAND C., by Turbine (Mr. H. Escott) Owner 8 9
LES CLOCHES (Mr. Luscombe) ........ Waugh 8 8
BLACK CARGO (Mr. W. A. Read) ........ Foster 8 7
OUTLOOK F., by Decision (Capt. J. G. R. Homfray) ........ R. Sherwood 8 6
WILLINDA F., by Sunbright (Mr. C. E. Howard) ........ Morris 8 6
HAPPY ELF (Mr. G. Hardy) ........ Hogg 8 4
QUITE ALONE (Eleanor Lady Torrington) Bartholomew 8 4
(The above have arrived.)
HELTER SKELTER (Ld. Derby) .. Lambton 9 0
IRISH CHANNEL (Mrs. C. Rich) Nightingall 9 0
ENCOURAGEMENT C., by White Eagle (Mrs. E. L. Ralli) ........ Wootton 8 11
SWEET LAVENDER (Ld. Derby) .. Lambton 8 11
IDOLATRY (Mr. F. T. Halse) ........ Nugent 8 11
FLOR FINA (Mrs. Brosseau) ........ Walls 8 11
DIAMOND HALL G., by Thrush (Mrs. H. de Trafford) ........ Cottrill 8 11
PRETTY C., by Rich Gift (Mr. A. Boutall, jun.) ........ Higgs 8 9
EAGLE'S CORRIE (Mr. Gordon) ........ Jervis 8 9
SWEET LOMOND (Mr. S. Wootton) Wootton 8 8
HOPPY (Mr. G. Hardy) ........ Hogg 8 7
CINZANO (Mr. J. Benson) ........ P. Lowe 8 7
VENICE C., by Planet (Mr. G. Barclay) Barclay 8 7
SOLDIER DOLL (Mr. Sewell) ... Pendarves 8 7
ACE OF ACES (Lieut.-Col. Wingfield) ... Pope 8 7
ARRIVAL (Mr. E. H. Jenks) ........ Moreton 8 7
ELBA F., by Coriander (Capt. Bennett) Batho 8 6
BESTOWED (Eleanor Lady Torrington) Bartholomew 8 6
PENLAKE (Mr. J. S. Austen) ...... C. Waugh 8 4
IMPEDIMENTA F., by China Cock (Mr. J. C. Baird) ........ Hogg 8 4
COED CANLAS (Mr. Cottrill) ........ Owner 8 4
FIESOLI F., by Aldford (Mr. F. Curzon) Watts 8 4
HALID (Mr. R. C. Dawson) ........ Owner 8 4
HAPPY SINNER (Mr. G. Hardy) ...... Hogg 8 4
SONNET (Mrs. Hartigan) ...... M. Hartigan 8 4
ILLUSION F., by Sir Berkeley (Sir Ralph Kennedy) ........ Templeman 8 4
BERSERKER (Lady Ludlow) ...... Pickering 8 4
LAIRD O' COCKPEN (Mrs. E. M. Tabor) Tabor 8 4

3.50—FELBRIDGE THREE-YEAR-OLD HANDICAP of 200 sovs. 6 f. st. lb.
CHINESE (Capt. J. Homfray) ...... Sherwood 9 0
PROBUS (Mr. F. Luscombe) ...... C. Waugh 8 10
AUREATE (Mr. G. H. Hilliard) ........ Morris 8 5
SQUARE BET (Mr. C. Newton) Scourfield 8 2
SMILAX (Mr. A. J. Ash) ........ H. Leader 7 13
MUM RUFFIN (Sir A. Bailey) ...... R. Day 7 13
GLAMIS MAID (Mr. G. Coldbeck) ... Owner 7 8
NIVOSE (Mr. W. B. Purefoy) ...... E. Harper 7 7
CRAGFORD (Mr. Edward Clark) ...... Hogg 7 6
ESPEROS (Mr. Z. G. Michalinos) ... F. Scott 7 4
GERALDINE (Mr. J. H. Hull) ... F. Leader 7 4
BRAMBLE BERRY (Mr. J. Butters) Owner 7 3
(The above have arrived.)
SILVER SWORD (7lb. ex.) (Maj. McCalmont) Persse 9 1
MAGNUS (Mr. A. Howeson) Nightingall 9 0
BOSAMBO (Mr. E. Wallace) ........ A. Day 8 12
AIR CHARIOT (Sir S. Watts) ........ Scott 8 11
HE SINGS (Mr. J. W. Sharples) ...... Cundell 8 8
PEEPING TOM (incl. 12lb. ex.) (Lady Ludlow) ........ Pickering 8 8
POLUSKA (Ld. Durham) ........ P. Peck 8 7
SIMON MAGUS (Mr. J. Benson) ...... Lowe 8 7
PRINCESS PAULINE (Mr. S. Joel) ...... Earl 8 6
EVA'S CHOICE (Mr. A. Bassett) ...... Batho 8 5
HAUT ET BON (Maj. H. Cayzer) ... Gooch 8 5
ARDLEY (Lady Jersey) ........ Templeman 8 4
EAGER STUART (Mr. S. Cohen) ...... Tabor 8 4
PERFIDIOUS (Mr. H. S. Gray) ... S. Darling 8 3
BERKELEY BRIDGE (Mr. H. Collins) Collins 8 3
COUNT SPRACK (Mr. C.S. Clarke) Hastings 8 2
PLUME (Mr. R. Thistlethwayte) ...... Wilmot 8 2
LUNATOI (Mr. G. Hooper) ...... J. T. Dood 8 0
ALEPPON (Mr. G. Barclay) ........ Barclay 7 12
CAN DO (Mr. A. H. Boutall) ........ Higgs 7 11
APOLLO (Mrs. T. Carthew) ........ Wootton 7 11
GIPSY LASS (Mr. J. B. Leigh) ... C. Leader 7 11
BALKAN (Mr. Sol Joel) ........ Earl 7 11
DONE UP (Mr. T. R. Bennett) ...... Wootton 7 9
THEODORA (Mr. R. W. Tilley) ...... Higgs 7 8
SANTA BENA (Col. B. FitzGerald) H. Lowe 7 7
TINY BIRD (Mr. P. Bartholomew) J. Kelly 7 6
WAVINI (Mrs. C. Stevens) ........ C. Stevens 7 3
KING OF THULE (Miss Knight) Bennett 7 2
MOTHER MACHREE (Mrs. Hartigan) M. Hartigan 7 2
ACCELERATION (Maj. Vigor) Nightingall 7 2

4.20—FOUR ELMS THREE-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE of 200 sovs. 5 f. st. lb.
MISS BESSIE (Lord Astor) ........ Taylor 8 9
BROKEN TENDRIL (Mr. Falcon) ... Rintoul 8 9
JULDI (H.H. Aga Khan) ...... R. Dawson 8 9
MOON MAID (Mr. F. Luscombe) ... C. Leader 8 9
PETTA (Mr. Z. G. Michalinos) ...... F. Scott 8 9
YSER (Duke of Portland) ........ F. Darling 8 9
CHESTERS (Mr. G. Whitelaw) ... Hammond 8 9
MAXFLI (Sir R. Wilmot) ........ Owner 8 9
(The above have arrived.)
WEXFORD (Mr. P. Bartholomew) J. Kelly 8 12
WINOVA (Mrs. N. Brownlee) ........ Higgs 8 12
NESTOR (Mr. W. M. Cazalet) ........ Taylor 8 12
SILVER IDOL (Maj. Parr) ........ Persse 8 12
OAK RIDGE (Mr. T. F. Ryan) ........ Persse 8 12
CINQ PORTS (Sir A. Bailey) ........ R. Day 8 9
MOUNTAIN BLUE (Mr. Clarke) Hastings 8 9
GOLDEN FRUIT (Sir Wm. Cooke) ...... Platt 8 9
GRAND LADY (Lord Glanely) ...... Barling 8 9
ENGLAND'S MATCH (Mr. Howeson) Nightingall 8 9
POLIS (Mr. Sol Joel) ........ Earl 8 9
ALL-IN-ALL (Mr. C. Leader) ........ Owner 8 9
PENMORE (Mr. Quinlan) ........ Killalee 8 9
JOYON (Mr. W. A. Read) ........ Foster 8 9
SANTA SAVINA (Mr. A. de Rothschild) Watson 8 9
VETRANCE (Mrs. Rudd) ........ Tash 8 9
GORGEOUS (Mr. E. Stanley) ...... Hastings 8
KISS THE ROD (Lord Wyfold) ...... Wilmot 8

LATEST SCRATCHINGS.—Surrey Two-year-old Selling Plate—Our Circle, Zagara and Addition.


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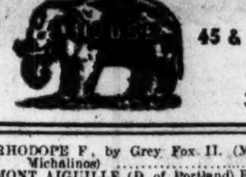

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## SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Sixty-four horses ran at Phœnix Park meeting on Saturday.

Irish Drum dropped dead while taking part in the race for the Sowerby Selling Handicap at Thirsk on Saturday.

At San Francisco on Saturday Glenn Hartranst, a student of Stanford University, threw the discus 157 feet 1½ inches, beating the world's record by a foot.

Santorb is a certain runner in the Chester Vase to-morrow, and will be ridden by Donoghue. Vionnet, Mark Marten, and Rugeley are intended to run in the Chester Cup.

Non-runners at Lingfield to-day:—Lingfield Park Spring Stakes—Baton Rouge, Saucy Sue, Old Rowley, Sceptical. Four Elms Plate—Nestor. Doubtful runners:—Felbridge Plate—Berkeley Bridge and Mother Machree.

The Lawn Tennis Association announce that in the tie between Italy and Portugal in the Davis Cup Tournament, which will be played at Lisbon on May 8, 9, and 10, the following will represent Portugal:—Dom Jose de Verda (captain), Antonia Casanovas, Federico de Vasconcellos, and Antonia Pinto Coelho.

Monday, May 11th, has been fixed for the hearing in London of five libel actions—four against the Associated Newspapers, Ltd., and one against the *Morning Post*. The actions referred to relate to the comment which appeared in certain newspapers regarding the running of Condover after he had won the Newbury Spring Cup.

Fedamore, who made a winning *début* in the Loder T.Y.O. Plate at Phœnix Park on Saturday, was purchased at the Ballsbridge sales last year out of Major Giles Loder's draft for 1,000 guineas by Mr. H. Hartigan, acting on behalf of Captain R. B. Brassey.

During the past season Lisnagarvey H.C. have had an unbeaten record. In addition to winning the Irish Cup on Saturday, they have already won the Anderson and Kirk Cups (the latter for the third time in succession), and are within a few points of heading the League, which they are expected to win this week.

The first team of the Manchester Club—E. M. Baerlein, the amateur champion, and W. Renshaw—won the Inter-Club four-handed Tennis Championship at Queen's Club, London, on Saturday, defeating Queen's Club 1st (Hon. C. N. Bruce and R. H. Hill), the holders, in the five set final—6-5, 6-1, 6-3.

Jockeys' engagements at Lingfield to-day:—Spring Stakes—Valorous (R. James). Two-Year-Old Plate—Pretty colt (Jellis); Misunderstood colt (R. James); Laird of Cockpen (McLachlan, jun.). Felbridge Handicap—Eager Stuart (McLachlan, jun.); Santa Bena (A. Burns). Four Elms Plate—Golden Fruit (R. James).

The injury sustained by D. Dick when Progress fell at Sandown a week ago was, unfortunately, more serious than believed at the time. The muscles of his shoulder and the ligaments were severely strained, and it will be at least another fortnight before the Epsom jockey can ride again.

Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Prince Pedro, by Prince Hermes, who won in a canter over hurdles at Leopardstown on Friday last, will leave Maddenstown Lodge, Curragh, to-morrow for Maison Lafitte, where he will be placed under the care of Eugene Leigh. It is intended that he shall take his chance in the Paris Hurdle Race next month, but that before going for it he will be saddled for a minor timber-topping event. He will be ridden in both races by E. M. Quirke. Major O'Malley Keyes's Smoke Cloud, who recently won at Autèuil the Prix de la Pepiniere, carrying 10st. 10lb., will also be a competitor for the Paris Hurdle Race. The value of the Prix de la Pepiniere was 15,000 francs (£600 at par of exchange).

## SELECTIONS FOR LINGFIELD MEETING TO-DAY

| PAPER. | 1.50 RACE. | 2.20 RACE. | 2.50 RACE. | 3.20 RACE. | 3.50 RACE. | 4.20 RACE. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Irish Times | India's Charm.* | Philter. | Blue Pete. | Mont Aiguille | Silver Sword. | Santa Savina. |
| Do. (Galtee More) | — | — | Prompt. | Helter Skelter. | — | Silver Idol. |
| S. Life and Sportsman | Uralite. | Philter. | Sansovino. | Arrival.* | Air Chariot. | Miss Bessie. |
| Man on the Spot | Carmenmelis filly. | Philter. | Sansovino.* | Quite Alone. | Smilax. | Silver Idol. |
| Westminster Gazette | Crimson colt. | Philter. | Prompt. | Helter Skelter. | Gipsy Lass. | Silver Idol. |
| Daily Express | Crimson colt or Carmenmelis filly. | Philter.* | Prompt; if ab., Sansovino. | Mont Aiguille. | Done Up; if ab., Count Sprack. | Silver Idol, next best. |
| Daily Mirror | J. Jarvis's best. | Philter. | Sansovino. | Quite Alone. | Bosambo. | Silver Idol |
| Daily Graphic | Polyphonia.* | Royal Plumage. | Diophon. | Bayona. | Simon Magus. | Miss Bessie. |
| Star | Crimson colt. | Philter. | Sansovino. | Quite Alone. | Berkeley Bridge.* | Silver Idol. |
| Evening News | Crimson colt. | Philter.* | Domenico. | Helter Skelter | — | Silver Idol.* |
| Evening Standard | Carmenmelis filly. | Philter. | Domenico. | Lambton's best. | Simon Magus. | Nestor. |
| Daily Mail | Carmenmelis filly. | Philter. | Sansovino. | Quite Alone | Eager Stuart. | Silver Idol. |
| Times | Carmenmelis filly. | Philter. | Sansovino. | Sweet Lomond. | Geraldine. | Silver Idol. |

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# CRICKET.

## OPENING OF THE SEASON.

### CHILLY WEATHER AND LOW SCORING.

The cricket season opened last Saturday in England and Ireland under conditions that were more suggestive of football than of the great summer game. In Dublin particularly the atmosphere was distinctly chilly and the pitches rather easy. Low scoring was the rule, but the form shown by a number of the local players with bat and ball was very encouraging, a feature being the displays given by several schoolboys who were making their *début* in senior cricket.

### BRISK BATTING AT RATHMINES.

#### LEINSTER WIN BY 135 RUNS.

Leinster turned out a strong side for the opening match against Civil Service, at Rathmines, on Saturday, and gained an easy victory by 135 runs. Leinster, winning the toss, took advantage of an easy wicket, and in two-and-a-half hours scored 182, when, with three wickets down, the innings was declared. Heaslip and Ganly gave the side a good start, and despite many changes in the bowling they sent up 115 in a few minutes over the hour before Ganly was bowled by Fitzsimons. Starting in steadily, once set he treated the bowling to scant respect, and his 70—made without a blemish—included three 6's and six 4's. Heaslip played a very pretty innings, and was unlucky to be run out when 54. He was at the wickets one-and-three-quarter hours without giving a chance, and hit seven boundaries. Lambert, who had 30 to his credit when the declaration was made, was batting over an hour.

Civil Service, who have lost a good many of last season's team, but have some promising young players, cut up poorly, and were dismissed in an hour for 47, Bolton with 23 alone getting double figures. Ganly took three wickets in as many overs for three runs, while Brown got two for 16 and Heaslip four for 23 runs. Score:—

LEINSTER.

| | |
|---|---|
| J. G. Heaslip run out | 54 |
| J. B. Ganly c Bolton b Fitzsimons | 70 |
| C. B. Hill c Bolton b Fitzsimons | 1 |
| R. H. Lambert not out | 30 |
| A. N. Welsby not out | 0 |
| Extras | 27 |
| Total (3 wkts.*) | 182 |

*Innings declared.

Did not bat—R. T. Sheppard, A. B. Bex, E. N. Guise Brown, P. Hussey, A. Robinson, R. D. Lambert.

Bowling—Francis, 0 for 34; Flewitt, 0 for 24; McCann, 0 for 27; Fitzsimons, 2 for 44; Bolton, 0 for 21; Nowlan, 0 for 5.

CIVIL SERVICE.

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|---|---|
| F. Connell c Ganly b Brown | 2 |
| F. J. O'Rourke b Heaslip | 1 |
| A. G. Francis b Brown | 4 |
| G. S. Nowlan c Hill b Heaslip | 0 |
| R. Bolton b Ganly | 23 |
| P. J. Fitzsimons c R. H. Lambert b Heaslip | 9 |
| H. Walsh b Heaslip | 0 |
| J. J. Blake l.b.w. b Ganly | 0 |
| T. Moran c Welsby b Lambert | 2 |
| P. J. McCann c Hill b Ganly | 1 |
| H. Flewitt not out | 1 |
| Extras | 4 |
| Total | 47 |

Bowling—Brown, 2 for 16; Heaslip, 4 for 23; Ganly, 3 for 3; Lambert, 1 for 1.

### CLONTARF'S GOOD START.

#### DEFEAT OF PHŒNIX.

Schoolboy cricketers figured prominently in the match between Phœnix and Clontarf in the Park on Saturday, a few Belvedere boys getting trials in the home team, while Clontarf played two Clontarf Schoolboys, E. N. Seymour and G. Tyndall. These latter may be said to have dominated the game. Seymour bowled finely, taking three wickets at a cost of seven runs apiece, and with Tyndall laid the foundation of the Clontarf victory by 3 wickets and 33 runs. As a matter of fact, the batting of these two young fellows formed the feature of the match, and so well did they acquit themselves in this, their first game of the season, that their places in the team seem to be assured, which is well for the club, seeing that Clontarf will not have the assistance of that good batsman, H. R. Aston, who has taken up an engineering appointment in Burmah.

Neither club was at anything like full strength, and when Phœnix began batting on a dead wicket matters went against them almost from the start. Buttanshaw left at 15, and without a run added Pigot was bowled by Ledwidge, who, although short of practice, showed convincing form with the ball, taking two wickets in his first four overs for eight runs. The only home batsmen who made runs were M'Donogh (36) and Allen (25). The first-named and O'Byrne came together at a critical stage, and by careful batting brought the score from 22 to 56 for the fifth wicket, O'Byrne being in for almost an hour for six runs, when he was badly run out. Allen's display was the more attractive, his hits including four 4's, and in the end the Phœnix innings, which extended over two hours and fifteen minutes, closed for 112.

From the outset the opening pair of Clontarf batsmen, Seymour and Tyndall, set about the bowling in fine style. The former, by lusty hitting, scored the faster, and fifty went up in twenty-five minutes. Four bowlers were tried, but it was not until the wicket had yielded 63 in 35 minutes that a separation was effected, Seymour then falling to a smart catch by Kelly. The Leinster Schoolboy gave a bright and vigorous batting display for his 48, which was made up of eleven 4's and two 2's. Tyndall and Boylan then carried the score to 101, the result of an hour's batting; but with the departure of the former a collapse set in, and three wickets fell in fifteen minutes for an additional half-dozen runs. Ledwidge and Sibley, however, settled down, and the winning hit was made by Sibley, but during the brief period of the bowlers' ascendancy the position was extremely interesting. It was an auspicious opening of the season for Clontarf, who, it seems, will be able to place a very useful team in the field this season for the League matches.

The match was watched by a big crowd, although the weather was chilly, and it was evident that the game was followed with the keenest interest. Score:—

PHŒNIX.

| | |
|---|---|
| C. Buttanshaw b Ledwidge | 4 |
| B. Fox b Seymour | 12 |
| W. R. Pigot b Ledwidge | 0 |
| A. P. Kelly c Sibley b Seymour | 2 |
| T. O'Byrne run out | 6 |
| J. M'Donogh c Stewart b Ledwidge | 36 |
| F. R. Dunlop c Cox b Seymour | 7 |
| J. D. Fitzgerald c Sibley b Ledwidge | 0 |
| W. Allen c Boylan b Ledwidge | 25 |
| R. Fox b Tyndall | 0 |
| D. O'Connor not out | 6 |
| Extras | 14 |
| Total | 112 |

Bowling—Ledwidge, 5 for 45; Seymour, 3 for 21; Tyndal, 1 for 11; Read, 0 for 15.

CLONTARF.

| | |
|---|---|
| E. N. Seymour c Kelly b Allen | 48 |
| G. Tyndall c Kelly b Dunlop | 24 |
| E. C. Boylan c Fox b Allen | 25 |
| E. H. Read b Allen | 1 |
| J. Ledwidge not out | 17 |
| A. J. White run out | 2 |
| J. S. Sibley st Kelly b R. Fox | 11 |
| J. C. Montgomery c Pigot b R. Fox | 7 |
| E. V. Cox not out | 0 |
| Extras | 10 |
| Total (7 wkts.) | 145 |

C. P. Stewart and W. D. Ryan did not bat.

Bowling—Allen, 3 for 42; Pigot, 0 for 17; Buttanshaw, 0 for 10; R. Fox, 2 for 14; Dunlop, 1 for 31; Fitzgerald, 0 for 16.

### LOW SCORING AT SYDNEY PARADE.

#### A PEMBROKE VICTORY.

Pembroke opened their season at Sydney Parade on Saturday with a match against Railway Union, and won by 26 runs, with a wicket to spare. There were no League points at stake and many of the players were donning flannels for the first time this year.

The home side were without P. Murphy, while the Sullys were absent from the visitors' ranks. The weather was dull and lowering, and the wicket on the dead side when Railway Union, winning the toss, opened with L. Bookman and Woakes. The former, when he had just reached double figures, hit his wicket, but E. Hool batted soundly for 29. Half the side were out for 49, and the remainder went cheaply, with the exception of Payne, who had a couple of fours in his 22, the innings closing at 82. Ruddle, who swerved a lot, was the most successful of the home bowlers, with 5 for 14, while Hirst had 2 for the same figure.

Pembroke began badly, losing Jackson, the Rugby Internationalist and Gentlemen of Ireland cricketer, without scoring, but Aylward batted steadily for 32, and with 10 from Pickeman and a good 33 from D. Murphy, who hit four fours, the visitors' total was passed before the sixth wicket fell at 93. Continuing, Pembroke had got 108 for the loss of nine wickets, when time was called. L. Bookman 4 for 24, and E. Hool 3 for 21, did best in the bowling for Railway Union, the latter making the ball turn both ways effectively. Score:—

RAILWAY UNION.

| | |
|---|---|
| L. Bookman hit wicket b Hirst | 10 |
| W. J. Woakes b D. Murphy | 5 |
| E. Hool b Ruddle | 29 |
| J. Walker c D. Murphy b Bonass | 1 |
| V. Blackwell c and b Ruddle | 6 |
| V. Woods l.b.w. b Hirst | 1 |
| J. Payne c Bonass b Ruddle | 22 |
| F. Lynch c Hirst b Redle | 0 |
| G. W. Green c Cordner b Ruddle | 0 |
| A. Hart b Bonass | 6 |
| W. Hoey not out | 3 |
| Extras | 5 |
| Total | 82 |

Bowling—D. Murphy, 1 for 19; Bonass, 2 for 30; Hirst, 2 for 14; Ruddle, 5 for 14.

PEMBROKE.

| | |
|---|---|
| W. F. Aylward l.b.w. b Hool | 32 |
| F. Jackson b Bookman | 0 |
| C. B. Parker b Hool | 1 |
| D. C. Pickeman c and b Hool | 10 |
| D. J. Murphy c Lynch b Woakes | 33 |
| M. P. Roddle l.b.w. b Blackwell | 3 |
| R. Barnett c Green b Bookman | 3 |
| F. Hirst b Bookman | 11 |
| J. Bonass b Bookman | 1 |
| G. C. Byrne not out | 1 |
| Extras | 6 |
| Total (9 wickets) | 108 |

Did not bat—A. D. Cordner.

Bowling—Bookman, 4 for 24; Hool, 3 for 21; Woakes 1 for 26; Blackwell, 1 for 22; Lynch 0 for 9.

### DUBLIN UNIVERSITY PRACTICE.

Dublin University played an interesting practice match at the College Park on Saturday, the teams being captained by M. Sugden and G. N. Kelly. The weather was fine, if chilly, and the pitch was slow.

The cricket generally indicated a lack of practice, and Sugden, who was turning out for the first time, found his bowling considerably off, due to the fact that, like G. N. Kelly, he had been reading for Little-Go up to the previous day.

In T. F. Carey, the ex-King's Hospital and Schools' Interprovincial player, who was unable to play much last season, Trinity have evidently a very promising all-rounder. He is the makings of an excellent bat, and his 22 on Saturday, which included three 4's, was practically faultless. A safe fielder, at his best he is quite a good bowler. The Freshman, J. Russell, also promises to be a very useful bat.

G. N. Kelly's XI., who went in first, declared at 96 for 8 wickets, to which C. I. Peacocke contributed 30, but he gave a couple of chances very early on. G. N. Kelly, for whom the wicket proved much too slow, was dismissed by Robinson before he had scored.

Radcliffe and Lawrence opened the batting for Sugden's XI., and runs at first came slowly, as C. I. Peacocke, who was bowling splendidly, had his deliveries treated with the utmost respect. He sent down eight maidens, his average at one point being 4 wickets for no runs, and he captured all eight wickets. J. R. Peacocke and Robinson were responsible between them for practically the whole of the side's total, both making 51. Peacocke's innings included seven 4's and one 6, but he gave one chance at 20, being missed by Forsythe at square-leg. Robinson's total included five 4's and a couple of 6's. Score:—

MR. G. N. KELLY'S XI.

| | |
|---|---|
| T. F. Carey c and b Knott | 22 |
| J. P. Pigot c Lawrence b Beckett | 19 |
| A. G. Thompson run out | 0 |
| B. J. Daly l.b.w. b Radcliffe | 5 |
| H. Forsythe c A. W. Kelly b Knott | 0 |
| J. Russell b Beckett | 16 |
| G. N. Kelly b Robinson | 0 |
| C. I. Peacocke c and b Radcliffe | 30 |
| H. J. Simms not out | 1 |
| Extras | 3 |
| Total (for 8 wkts.) | *96 |

* Innings declared.

Did not bat—J. Craig and C. E. M'Causland.

Bowling.—Sugden, 0 for 20; Beckett, 2 for 34; A. W. Kelly, 0 for 6; Knott, 2 for 18; Radcliffe, 2 for 5; Robinson, 1 for 7; J. R. Peacocke, 0 for 3.

MR. M. SUGDEN'S XI.

| | |
|---|---|
| S. Radcliffe b Peacocke | 13 |
| J. F. Lawrence c Thompson b Peacocke | 1 |
| S. B. Beckett c and b Peacocke | 1 |
| S. B. Price st Pigot b Peacocke | 2 |
| H. E. Knott st Pigot b Peacocke | 0 |
| J. R. Peacocke not out | 51 |
| A. W. Kelly c G. N. Kelly b Peacocke | 0 |
| A. H. Robinson not out | 51 |
| Extras | 4 |
| Total (for 6 wkts.) | 123 |

Did not bat—M. Sugden, T. F. M. Woods and T. G. M'Veagh.

Bowling.—C. I. Peacocke, 6 for 7; G. N. Kelly, 0 for 40; Carey, 0 for 33; Daly, 0 for 21; Simms, 0 for 23.

### LEINSTER SCHOOLS' CUPS.

Schools cricket this season promises to be more interesting than for many years past, ten schools having entered for the Senior and eleven for the Junior Schools Cup. The draw for the Senior Schools Cup has not yet been made, but the following have entered:—Wesley College, Mountjoy School, Sandford School, Belvedere College, Catholic University School, St. Andrew's College, Masonic School, Diocesan School, High School, and King's Hospital.

The draw for the Junior Cup is as follows:—

First Round—(A) Mount St. Benedicts v. Mountjoy; (B) Sandford Park v. High School; (C) C.U.S. v. Diocesan.

Second Round—(D) King's Hospital v. Masonic; (E) A v. B; (F) C v. St. Andrew's; (G) Belvedere v. Wesley.

Semi-finals—Winners of D v. Winners of E; Winners of F v. Winners of G.

Cup Dates:—June 11th, Junior Cup final; June 25th and 26th, Senior Cup final; June 29th and 30th, Leinster Schools v. Ulster Schools.

All matches will be played on the Leinster ground, Rathmines.

### LANCASHIRE V. WARWICKSHIRE.

For the last three seasons Warwickshire have had a melancholy experience at Old Trafford. Two years in succession there was only about two hours' play, while last season play was only possible on the last day. Yesterday when both counties opened their programme the weather was more kind, though it was uncomfortably cold, and rain caused two stoppages extending over forty-seven minutes. Score:—

LANCASHIRE—First Innings.

| | |
|---|---|
| Hallowes l.b.w. b Howell | 6 |
| Hopwood l.b.w. b Jennings | 19 |
| E. Tyldesley c and b Wyatt | 78 |
| Watson b W. G. Quaife | 27 |
| P. T. Eckersley b Jennings | 29 |
| J. Sharp b W. G. Quaife | 63 |
| Major L. Green c Wyatt b Parsons | 45 |
| R. Tyldesley b Parsons | 3 |
| Macdonald not out | 4 |
| Duckworth b Parsons | 1 |
| Parkin st. Smith b Parsons | 4 |
| Extras | 6 |
| Total | 285 |

Bowling Analysis.—Lancashire, 1st innings—Howell, 1 for 58; Wyatt, 1 for 84; Jennings, 2 for 48; Santall, 0 for 34; Quaife, 2 for 31; Smart, 0 for 9; Parsons, 4 for 13.

### SUSSEX V. LEICESTERSHIRE.

Though the sun shone for the greater part of the day, there was always keen air for the opening of the cricket season at Brighton on Saturday. For the most part the cricket was quiet, Leicestershire taking five hours and twenty-five minutes to make 229, and were all out about half past six, when stumps were drawn. The pitch was soft and dead, the bowlers being unable to get any pace out of it, while batsmen often found themselves mistiming their strokes. Still, there was one outstanding performance, the veteran King, who is just over 54, playing a wonderfully sound three-figure innings. Score:—

LEICESTERSHIRE—First Innings.

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|---|---|
| Major G. H. S. Fowke l.b.w. b Bowley | 46 |
| Lord b A. E. R. Gilligan | 0 |
| Berry b Tate | 0 |
| King b Tate | 114 |
| Astill c Bowley b Wensley | 39 |
| Geary c A. E. R. Gilligan b Wensley | 1 |
| Coulson l.b.w. Tate | 6 |
| Starmer b Tate | 5 |
| Sidwell not out | 11 |
| Bale b A. E. R. Gilligan | 1 |
| Shipman st. Cornford b Tate | 1 |
| Extras | 5 |
| Total | 229 |

Bowling—Leicestershire—First innings—Tate, 5 for 44; A. E. R. Gilligan, 2 for 31; Parks, 0 for 17; Cox, 0 for 29; Bowley, 1 for 32; Wensley, 2 for 32; Langridge, 0 for 39.

### OXFORD UNIVERSITY V. MIDDLESEX.

Oxford University opened their season with a match against Middlesex. The County won the toss on a dead pitch, and made none too good a start, three wickets falling for 60 runs. Here, however, the successes of the University ceased, as on North, of the Marylebone ground staff, joining Hendren, a lengthy partnership ensued. Score:—

MIDDLESEX—First Innings.

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|---|---|
| Lee b Raikes | 15 |
| J. C. Butterworth b McBride | 4 |
| G. Hendren c Abell b Richardson | 84 |
| J. R. Wheatley hit wicket b Hewetson | 14 |
| North not out | 80 |
| F. T. Mann l.b.w. b Richardson | 10 |
| N. Haig not out | 28 |
| Extras | 29 |
| Total (5 wkts.) | 264 |

To bat—Lord Dunglass, Murrell, Durston, and Fowler.

### CRICKET IN ULSTER.

North of Ireland—178 (8 wkts.) (W. Pollock 100 not out); Holywood—15.

Armagh—108 (C. Raynor 55); Queen's Island—107 (R. Johnston 51).

Cliftonville—128 (C. Joynt 38); Waringstown—175 (8 wkts.) (W. Irwin 40).

North Down—88 (R. Cadogan 34); Lisburn 92 (8 wkts.) (R. Stevenson 38).

# BOWLING.

## THE NEW GREEN AT CLONTARF.

The new bowling green constructed for the Clontarf Golf Club was opened for the season's play on Saturday afternoon under circumstances which were very gratifying both to members of the club and to their visitors. The enterprise of the Golf Club in adding a bowling green to the other attractions at Donnycarney House and grounds is likely to have a beneficial effect upon the membership. The thousand pounds odd expended upon its construction has provided the club with a green that will bear favourable comparison with any other green in Ireland. The surface is laid with the finest Cumberland turf, and the manner in which the work has been carried out is extremely creditable to all concerned. The green is situated close to Donnycarney House, and occupies a sheltered position, from which a magnificent view is obtained. When put to the test of play by experienced bowlers on Saturday, the various rinks responded satisfactorily. They all "drew" well, and although the ground was still a little "spongy" and not altogether free from bumps, it should, with continued care, develop into a state little short of perfection.

The Kenilworth Bowling Club, in a true sporting spirit, rendered much appreciated assistance to the new club by accompanying their president to Clontarf and taking part in the opening game. Many of the best of the Kenilworth members found it convenient to be present, and their play was astonishing to those young members of Clontarf who, to use a bowling phrase, have difficulty in "getting the green."

Before the game commenced, the Rev. J. L. Morrow, President of the Clontarf Golf Club, delivered a short address, in the course of which he expressed the thanks of the Golf Club to the president and members of the Kenilworth Club for so kindly and so neighbourly coming to the assistance of the youngest of the Dublin bowling clubs in their opening game. In order that the game should be as equally balanced as possible, it had been decided to divide the players into two teams, one to be the team of Mr. Tom Ryan, captain of the golf club, and the other team to be that of Mr. Carson, the hon. secretary. He was not competent to pass judgment on a bowling green, but he was able to say that the members of the Clontarf Golf Club were delighted to have with them so many members of the best playing bowling club in the Free State. (Applause.) They had helped them at the official opening last year, and now they had come again to show the Clontarf men how to play the game. He would not venture to say anything about the game of bowling, except this—that it was a sort of sister to the game of golf, and that it could be played side by side with it. He thought the two combined were distinctly better than either played alone. He wished them a very happy game. (Applause.)

Mr. R. H. Felton, President of the Kenilworth Club, said that the Kenilworth members were delighted to come over to Clontarf and do what they could for the new club, in whose welfare they took a keen interest. It was to their mutual advantage that the Clontarf Club should develop on right lines, and if Kenilworth could help them in any way they would be very willing to do so. (Applause.)

A five-rink game was then entered upon, twenty-one ends being played. For the sake of brevity the President's team is called A team, and that of the Hon. Secretary B team. The scoring in each rink was as follows, only the names of the respective skips being given:—Boyd (B) beat Carmichael (A), 26 to 9; MacKay (B) beat Blue (A), 25 to 18; Cooper (A) beat Felton (B), 26 to 16; Le Bas (B) beat D. H. Stephens (A), 34 to 7; Restal (A) beat Mannion (B), 20 to 19. Total scores:—Hon. Secretary's Team, 120; President's Team, 80.

## THIS WEEK'S RACING FIXTURES.

IRELAND.

Wednesday and Thursday—Limerick.
Friday—Louth Hunt.
Saturday—Baldoyle.

ENGLAND.

To-day—Lingfield Park.
To-day and to-morrow—Pershore.
Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday—Chester.
Wednesday and Thursday—Isle of Wight.
Friday and Saturday—Kempton Park.
Friday and Saturday—Ripon.
Saturday—Plymouth.

# MOTORING.

## HILL CLIMB AT BELFAST.

### NORTHERN TRADERS' EVENT.

The Ulster Division of the Motor Trade Association brought their second annual hill climb to a successful issue on Saturday last. The event was held under a permit from the Royal Irish Automobile Club, and it is the only sporting competition for motor cars which is likely to be held in Ireland during the present season, as it was last year. While an entry of thirty-seven cars, of which thirty-five competed, provided a good afternoon's sport, albeit drawn out, the promoting Committee might have expected a greater measure of support, particularly in view of the fact that in each of the five classes for standard touring cars four prizes for the best performances by private owners and trade entrants, respectively, and four for the best time performances by each class on formula, were offered, with similar awards in the class for sports cars, and a special cup for the best time performance in the sports car class, in addition.

It was originally intended that each car should be given two ascents, the time in the first to decide the formula prizes and the time awards to be decided by the second ascent. This plan was, however, abandoned, and it took nearly three hours to send the thirty-five cars up the hill, and both the formula and time awards were made on the single ascent. An exception was made in the case of the sporting cars, which were given a second climb. This was productive of a peculiar result, in that the two fastest cars—a Star, driven by Mr. C. G. Cathie, of Wolverhampton, and an Austin, driven by Mr. H. Rodis, of Birmingham—tied at 1 min. 46 1-5 secs. for one mile, and were declared joint holders of the *Northern Whig* Cup. The fastest time of the day was, however, made by Mr. R. V. Sutton, a local private owner, who, on an Alvis car of considerably smaller engine capacity, did 1 min. 42 2-5 secs. in his first attempt. He was over 4 secs. slower on the second run; but his failure to secure the cup does not lessen the merit of his first performance.

The standard touring cars were divided into four classes, according to cubic capacity, the sports class being unrestricted as to size. The formula used to make the awards was cubic capacity of the engine, multiplied by time (squared), and divided by weight. It is a formula which most experts regard as giving an undue value to weight, and it was significant that in only two classes—the 1,100 c.c. and the unlimited c.c. divisions—did the drivers making the fastest time also win on formula. These were Mr. Norman Stewart, on a 7 h.p. Austin, and Mr. E. Graham, on a Lancia. In the 1,600 class the prize on formula went to Mr. Jasper Johnston, on a Fiat, the fastest time of the class being Mr. A. R. Elliott's ascent, on a Clyno. In the 2,200 c.c. class the formula award was won by Mr. F. T. Williamson, on a Phœnix, who was second to Mr. W. Noble (Star) on time. Mr. E. Graham, on a Lancia, was first on time, as well as formula, in the touring cars unlimited capacity, although driving the smallest engine of the class.

The competition was held at Craigantlet Hill, near Belmont, overlooking Stormont Castle, and the distance over which the cars were run was one mile. The road was closed to ordinary traffic under the powers given by the Act of the Northern Parliament, and, although the permit allowed the closing to continue until the officials declared the competition at an end, the officials acted wisely in terminating the racing after the sport cars had had a second run. The surface of the hill was in excellent order, but there were too many curves on it to make one to regard it as an ideal hill. Few of the cars could, however, be regarded as of the racing type, and, as all of them which were capable of exceeding thirty miles an hour were driven by experts, they were able to negotiate the hair-pin bends in safety. There was a large gathering of spectators; but, spread over the length of the hill, they did not constitute a problem for the officials, who are to be complimented on the excellence of the arrangements made for the conduct of the event.

The placings on formula and the times were as follows:—

NOT EXCEEDING 1,100 C.C. CLASS.—1. N. Stewart, 748 Austin—Time 2 mins. 21 1-5 secs., 1,540 points; 2. C. Wilkinson, 1,087 Rhode—Time 3 mins. 17 secs., 2,750 points; 3. J. Wilkinson—Time 3 mins. 24 secs., 3,580 points; 4. W. Simms, 1,086 Swift—Time 4 mins. 52 2-5 secs., 7,211 points; 5. J. Cross, 950 Swift—Time 7 mins. 28 4-5 secs., 17,999 points; 6. W. Nutt, 1,081 Singer—Time 7 mins. 39 2-5 secs., 18,950 points.

NOT EXCEEDING 1,600 CC. CLASS.—1. J. Johnston, 1,460 Fiat—Time 2 mins. 17 secs., 1,272 points; 2. T. G. Davison, 1,308 Singer—Time 2 mins. 22 1-5 secs., 1,379 points; 3. F. S. Eves, 1,354 Windsor—Time 2 mins. 35 1-5 secs., 1,543 points; 4. A. R. Elliott, 1,368 Clyno—Time 2 mins. 8 4-5 secs., 1,573 points; 5. A. H. Wilkinson, 1,529 Galloway—Time 2 mins. 39 secs., 1,726 points; 6. H. F. Berkeley, 1,368 Clyno—Time 2 mins. 30 1-5 secs., 1,736 points; 7. C. S. Byers, 1,368 Clyno—Time 2 mins. 27 4-5 secs., 1,749 points.

NOT EXCEEDING 2,200 C.C CLASS.—1. F. T. Williamson, 1,795 Phœnix—Time 2 mins. 15 secs., 1,380 points; 2. W. Noble, 1,946 Star—Time 2 mins. 11 1-5 secs., 1,375 points; 3. A. W. Jackson, 1,222 A.B.C.—Time 3 mins. 17 2-5 secs., 1,469 points; 4. D. A. Martin, 1,232 Rhode—Time 2 mins. 41 secs., 1,825 points; 5. H. F. Cox, 1,232 Rhode—Time 2 mins. 57 1-5 secs., 2,125 points.

UNLIMITED C.C. CLASS.—1. E. Graham, 2,120 Lancia—Time 2 mins. 5 1-5 secs., 1,330 points; 2. D. Yule, 2,996 Bentley—Time 2 mins. 11 secs., 1,424 points; 3. A. Thompson, 2,175 Star—Time 2 mins. 13 4-5 secs., 1,514 points; 4. C. J. F. Agnew, 3,120 Lancia—Time 2 mins. 22 1-5 secs., 1,565 points; 5. R. F. Spiller, 1,805 Overland—Time 2 mins. 22 1-5 secs., 1,604 points; 6. J. Agnew, 3,630 Hupmobile—Time 2 mins. 14 2-5 secs., 1,820 points; 7. C. E. Chambers, 2,692 Chambers—Time 2 mins. 19 4-5 secs., 1,824 points; 8. E. Ronner, 3,585 Cleveland—Time 2 mins. 9 secs., 1,972 points.

SPORTS CLASS (UNLIMITED C.C.).—1. R. V. Sutton, 1,496 Alvis—Time 1 min. 42 2-5 secs., 7,676 points; 2. J. Mackie, 1,496 Alvis—Time 2 mins. 0 1-5 secs., 9,470 points; 3. C. G. Cathie, 1,945 Star—Time 1 min. 47 4-5 secs., 10,760 points; 4. V. Ferguson, 748 Austin—Time 1 min. 49 3-5 secs., 11,670 points; 5. C. Graham, 2,120 Lancia—Time 1 min. 39 1-5 secs., 12,080 points; 6. S. Marshall, 1,074 Amilcar—Time 2 mins. 1 sec., 12,450 points; 7. H. Rodis, 3,610 Austin—Time 1 min. 47 2-5 secs., 12,930 points; 8. N. P. Metcalfe, 972 Senechal—Time 1 min. 56 4-5 secs., 13,160 points; 9. H. Scott, 2,892 Frontey-Ford—Time 1 min. 53 1-5 secs., 29,420 points; 10. Capt. C. Gray, 1,098 Rhode—Time 3 mins. 38 1-5 secs., 43,630 points. Also competed—J. E. Coulter, 1,945 Star.

SPORTS CLASS (UNLIMITED C.C.) ON TIME.—* C. G. Cathie, 1,495 Star—Time 1 min. 46 1-5 secs.; * H. Rodis, 3,610 Austin—Time 1 min. 46 1-5 secs.; 3. R. V. Sutton, 1,496 Alvis—Time 1 min. 48 4-5 secs.; 4. V. Ferguson, 748 Austin—Time 1 min. 52 4-5 secs.; 5. J. E. Coulter, 1,495 Star—Time 1 min. 53 4-5 secs.; 6. N. P. Metcalfe, 972 Senechal—Time 1 min. 55 2-5 secs.; 7. J. Mackie, 1,496 Alvis—Time 1 min. 59 secs.; 8. E. Graham, 2,120 Lancia—Time 1 min. 59 3-5 secs.; 9. Capt. C. Gray, 1,098 Rhode—Time 2 mins. 0 2-5 secs.; 10. H. Scott, 2,892 Frontey-Ford—Time 2 mins. 8 2-5 secs.

# HOCKEY.

## IRISH CUP FINAL.

### LISNAGARVEY (3) v. L.P.Y.M.A. (0).

By making the most of what chances came their way, Lisnagarvey scored a convincing win in the re-played final of the Irish Cup at Foxrock on Saturday, defeating L.P.Y.M.A. by 3 goals to nil. In March the teams had played a scoreless draw, in April the re-play resulted in a draw of 1 goal all, and the third meeting resulted in the addition of a new name to the roll on a Cup which dates back to 1894.

To some extent the final score gives a false impression of the run of the game. The losers had quite as much of the play as the winners; but their forwards were weak in front of goal. Greenfield had an amount of work to do, but only once was he really tested, and then a brilliant save from a hard shot by Wallace seemed to foreshadow the Northern win. This occurred soon after the start, and was the only occasion throughout an even first half that either team really looked like scoring. Territorially, perhaps, Limerick had the balance of play. The forwards repeatedly had the Northern defence in difficulties, and only the steady tackling and clearing of Rice and Bannister held out a dashing, if somewhat individual, line. Lisnagarvey got within striking distance more than once, only to find Hollywood in form also, and at the interval the score sheet was blank.

The first five minutes of the second half saw a dramatic change. Soon after the bully-off Alderdice slipped away on the wing, and got right down before putting across a splendid centre. This found Black unmarked, and his shot beat Hollywood all the way. From the ensuing bully a very similar movement developed, and again Black scored, to give Lisnagarvey a commanding lead.

Subsequently the game became very fast, but, owing to the rough ground, ball control was anything but easy, and, although both goals were under pressure in turn, no score resulted. It was about half-way through that Rice sustained a nasty blow of the ball on the jaw in the course of a Southern attack, and had to go off for medical attention. Allen dropped back to fill his place, and, a man short, Lisnagarvey settled down to play out time.

The Limerick forwards strove hard to reduce the lead, but even a re-arrangement of the line—Wallace and Dunn changing places—failed to achieve the object. There was little combination between the five, and the attacks were checked and broken up one after another.

In the last few minutes the game swung round again, and the quickness of Alderdice to seize an opening put the issue beyond doubt. Clearing his line, Allen sent the ball hard up the field, so that it reached the Southern backs. Caught unawares both missed it, and, lying well up, Alderdice dashed in, and, driving hard and true from the edge of the circle, gave Hollywood absolutely no chance with a shot that found the back of the net shoulder high. This proved to be the final score, the whistle going for full time a minute or two later. Teams:—

Lisnagarvey—E. Greenfield; W. Bannister, F. Rice; W. Browne, S. Bullick, E. Allen; A. Alderdice, W. Bailey, G. McGregor, A. Black, W. Bowden.

Limerick P.Y.M.A.—E. Hollywood; W. Stockil, F. Scales; E. Mulligan, J. Stockil, W. Little; J. Miller, G. Cross, J. Dunn, T. Wallace, J. Eades.

Umpires—W. F. McDonnell and S. McElveen.

# RUGBY

## VENUES FOR NEXT SEASON'S INTERNATIONALS.

The following matches have been fixed to be played at Dublin and Belfast respectively. Ireland v. England and Ireland v. France.

## DUBLIN UNIVERSITY F.C.

There will be a general meeting of Dublin University Rugby Football Club on Monday, May 18.

## DOLPHIN v. UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, CORK.

The final of the Rugby Charity Cup was played at the University Grounds, Cork, on Saturday, when Dolphin won on a narrow margin from University College. While the game was closely contested, Dolphin had generally the better of the play, and won by a try and a penalty goal (6 points) to one goal (5 points).

## THIRSK MEETING.

### HORSE'S SALIVA EXAMINED.

Subsequent to the Thirsk Handicap on Friday, Azimuth, who ran second to Night Guard, was examined by order of the stewards by a veterinary surgeon, who, after taking a sample of the horse's saliva, took it away in a sealed bottle for analysis, the result of which will be communicated in due course to the authorities.

Mr. O'Sullivan, who trains the horse for Mr. Johnston, was quite frank about the matter when interviewed. "'I have nothing to fear," he said; "the horse had not been interfered with in any way, and I am not at all anxious regarding the matter."

# GOLF.

## THE SURREY CHAMPIONSHIP.

### AMATEUR CHAMPION BROUGHT TO THE 20th.

Sir Ernest Holderness, the British champion, on Saturday won the Surrey Amateur Championship at Walton Heath. In the final he was opposed to G. Shankland, a twenty-three years old player, from St. George's Hill, and the latter had an advantage of two holes at the turn.

Sir Ernest, however, won the tenth, thirteenth and fifteenth, and then Shankland squared at the home hole. It was not until two extra holes had been played that the British champion won. In the semi-final the ultimate winner defeated G. D. Hannay, the former French open amateur champion, by 8 and 7, after turning with a lead of six holes, and Shankland beat R. H. Jobson, the Sunningdale representative, by 3 and 1.

## MISS COLLETT DEFEATS C. J. TOLLEY.

A strong team of ladies, receiving nine strokes from each man, was defeated by a good representation of male golfers by eight matches to seven on foursomes and singles at Stoke Poges on Saturday. In the foursomes, which were won by the ladies by three matches to two, Miss Collett, the American, and Miss Wethered were successfully partnered against Cyril Tolley and E. F. Storey, who lost on the home green. In the Singles Miss Collett defeated Tolley by one hole. The winner was round in 84, and Tolley in 77. Miss Wethered won by a similar margin from Murray. She was one up at the ninth on the British internationalist.

ROYAL DUBLIN.—Moncrieff Cup and Gold Medal—N. Manly, 159; Silver Medal—L. E. J. Werner, 162; Bronze Medal—C. S. Wallis, 167. May Medals—1st Class, Capt.—W. M'C. Mooney, 74; 2nd Class, Capt.—J. H. Webb, 77. Sweepstake—1st prize, Capt.—W. M'C. Mooney, 74; 2nd prize, J. G. Greene, 76. Best gross—N. Manly, 78.

RATHFARNHAM—Ladies' Branch.—Result of the April Box.—Mrs. Creed 39 net; Miss Mason, 40 net. Result of Bisque competition for prizes presented by a lady associate:—A Division—Miss Drury, 3 down; Mrs. Marsh, 6 down. B Division—Miss Werner, 1 down; Mrs. Crozier, 6 down; Mrs. French, 6 down. Monthly foursomes to-morrow; arrange opponents. May Medal, 8th inst.; strokes. Draws from 10.30 to 11.30 and at 3 o'clock. Committee meeting, 2.15 p.m.

PORTMARNOCK—St. George's Cup, 36 holes, strokes. Out of an entry of 80, the following were the leading returns:—J. St. J. Pike, 83, 82—20—145 (winner of Cup); D. Coyle, 81, 89—18—152 (second prize); P. Hughes, 84, 80—12—152 (best nett, 2nd, 18 holes); E. Kilduff, 79, 76—2—153 (lowest gross prize); N. W. Sharpe, 85, 86—16—155; W. Fitzsimmons, 91, 96—28—159; R. Donnelly, 89, 89—18—160; C. W. Blood-Smyth, 89, 78—6—161; J. G. Aston, 86, 89—14—161; R. F. Browne, 95, 100—34—161; H. P. Hughes, 86, 92—16—162; F. F. Davies, 82, 81—0—163; M. P. Dawson, 88, 87—12—163; D. L. Kelly, 96, 91—24—163; J. W. Carley, 89, 96—22—163; P. W. Maguire, 87, 96—20—163. F. W. Sharpe, P. W. Maguire, W. Fitzsimmons, P. J. Gillespie, tied with 77, for best nett first 18 holes.

HERMITAGE.—Saturday Cup — P. J. Walters (13), 73. Next Saturday—Open men's fourball in aid of Leinster Professionals' Open Championship Fund. Ladies' Section—To-morrow—Surprise foursomes, 18 holes, bogey. Draw 1.30.

DUN LAOGHAIRE (KINGSTOWN).—Ladies' Branch—Result of semi-open Scotch foursomes:—1st, Mrs. Meade and Mrs. Kough—73½ 2nd, Mrs. Franklin and Mrs. Blackwell—79. To-day—Mrs. Triston's prize (eclectic). Draws at 10.30 and 11 a.m., and 2 and 2.30 p.m. for those not arranged.

Inter-Bank Challenge Cup.—The competition for the cup presented by Mr. Joseph X. Murphy, Governor, Bank of Ireland, has attracted entries of strong teams from all the Banks, and will be decided on Monday and Tuesday next at Dollymount (by kind permission). The following is the draw:—11th May—(A) Bank of Ireland v. Royal Bank of Ireland, at 10 a.m.; (B) Winner of A v. the Belfast Bank, at 2.30 p.m.; (C) Provincial Bank v. Northern Bank, at 11 a.m.; (D) National Bank v. Ulster Bank, at 2 p.m.; (E) Hibernian Bank v. the Munster and Leinster Bank, at 10.30 a.m. Tuesday, the 12th May, second round—Winner of B v. Winner of C, at 10.30 a.m.; Winner of D v. Winner of E, at 11 a.m. The final will be played at 3.30 p.m.

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE G.S.—The annual competition for the Stock Exchange Challenge Cup was played on Friday last at Portmarnock Links (by kind permission). Out of an entry of 24 the following were the best cards returned:—B. A. Morrison (12), 81; Guy Moffat Wilson (16), 81; J. Wilkinson (9), 86; A. H. Porter (8), 82; W. A. Clarke (14), 82.

CLONGOWES UNION G.S.—The Abraham Fitton Cup was played for at Portmarnock (by kind permission) on Thursday last. Best cards returned: J. Healy (9), 78; Vincent Carroll (1), 81; J. J. Colgan (15), 84; B. Burke Kennedy (25), 84; E. McGrath (12), 85; S. J. Farrell (14), 87; F. J. McDonnell (18), 88.

# SWIMMING.

## CLONTARF VISIT BELFAST.

### GOOD PERFORMANCE IN SQUADRON RACE.

The visit of the Clontarf Club to Clonard on the occasion of a charity gala at the Falls road Baths on Friday night attracted considerable notice in Belfast, the baths being densely packed. The visitors travelled a strong swimming combination, and scored a brilliant success in the squadron race of 264 yards; but their polo team was not nearly up to the standard of the home combinations, and went down heavily.

Five teams entered for the squadron race—Clonard, South End, Belfast Amateurs, Donegall and Clontarf. This necessitated heats, the draw resulting in the most fancied of the Northern teams—Clonard—meeting Clontarf in the second heat. The teams were six aside, each man to swim 44 yards. The Ulster record for the distance was 2 mins. 45 secs. South End qualified for the final by winning the first heat from Donegall and Amateurs, leading throughout, and winning easily in 2 mins. 50 4-5 secs. Clontarf, in the second heat, led Clonard from the start, winning easily by 14 yards in 2 mins. 38 4-5 secs., thus beating the record by 6 1-5 secs. Clonard qualified for the final as fastest losers, their time being 2 mins. 46 1-5 secs.

Clonard changed their formation in the final, and led Clontarf by two yards at the first stage, South End being close up. Brady overtook McCorry, and at 88 yards Clontarf were three yards in front, with South End a yard or so behind Clonard. Clontarf increased their lead with each swimmer, winning in brilliant style by about 12 yards in 2 mins. 37 4-5 seconds, or one second better than their effort in the first heat. The performance was enthusiastically cheered by the audience, who gave the victors a remarkable reception. Result:—

Clontarf (C. P. Stewart, H. F. Case, jun.; C. V. Brewster, J. J. Roche, J. S. Brady and another)—1; Clonard (T. McClure, J. McManus, P. McCorry, J. Jenkins, J. Ferguson, D. McClure)—2; South End (H. Mitchell, F. Faulkiner, G. Stott, H. Graham, W. Croft and J. Clugston)—3.

### WATER POLO.

Clontarf opened in sensational fashion, O'S. Roche scoring with a smart back flip before a Clonard defender had handled the ball. Clonard soon exerted heavy pressure, McClure equalising in smart style. Clontarf marked badly, but had chances which were lost through bad shooting; and McManus, McClure and McCormack (2) scoring. The Northern team led at half-time by 5 goals to 1.

Clontarf lost several chances again in the second half, the forwards' shooting being very bad. Clonard, on the contrary, shot brilliantly, and added 4 goals, per Jenkins (2) and McCormack (2), each score being the direct outcome of bad marking tactics by the visitors. Result:—Clonard, 9 goals; Clontarf, 1 goal.

The teams were:—

Clonard—J. P. Convery; J. Dowling (capt.) and J. Kennedy; T. J. McCormack, J. McManus, P. McClure and J. Jenkins.

Clontarf—H. F. Brennan; H. F. Case (sen.) and J. S. Brady (capt.); C. P. Stewart, O'S. Roche, H. J. Healy and another.

Referee—Mr. H. Megarry, President, I.A.S.A.

### INTERNATIONAL WATER POLO.

The I.A.S.A. has decided to support the proposal by England that an International Water Polo tournament be held annually in each of the four countries in rotation, each country to play three matches in all. This will mean a programme lasting three days, two matches being played each day. If the proposal is adopted Dublin will be the venue one year in eight, and Belfast likewise.

The International Water Polo Board will probably meet at Liverpool on Saturday, 16th instant, to discuss the proposal. Dr. J. Beckett and Mr. H. F. Brennan will represent Ireland at the meeting.

# YACHTING.

## THE WATER WAGS OPENING MATCH.

There ever is very natural curiosity over the first race of the Water Wags, for early as it comes in a season it does give some inkling of the "form" boats and helmsmen have preserved after the long winter's rest. So there were many to watch Saturday's race, and most appreciated the good omen it was to see eight boats competing; indeed, had Wendy been ready, the full class might have been out. It was an ideal afternoon for a sailing match, with smooth water and a nice little westerly breeze, the latter a trifle tricky, no doubt, but nothing to bother much about.

They were given the port course and went away with a free wind on the starboard hand at 3.50 p.m. Six of the eight broke the line on almost level terms, the approximate order being Phyllis, Pansy, Coquette, Mollie, Blue Bird, Tomboy; one length behind came Moosmie, and then Barbara. Very early it was apparent that Moosmie was not going well; her crew had been bailing her and she was sailing sluggishly; she went very dead, indeed, to the end. The really live boat, on the other hand, was Mollie. At the first mark she and Phyllis were nicely clear of the others, who were in fairly close order as they came round to reach out to the first hauling buoy, from which it was a beat to the coal harbour buoy. Without breaking tack, therefore, their first board afterwards was towards the elbow of the West Pier. The race at this stage was a tussle between Mollie and Phyllis for the lead; the fortunes of the others were varied, but once the coal harbour mark was reached, they were able to carry spinnakers up to the line, where Mollie led Phyllis by 10 secs., Coquette by 1 min. 12 secs., and Pansy by 1 min. 27 secs.; the order of the others being Tomboy, Blue Bird, Barbara, Moosmie. The second round made only one change, and that at the tail of the race. At its close Mollie led Phyllis by 20 secs., Coquette by 1 min. 13 secs., and Pansy by 2 mins. 4 secs., while the order of the remainder was Tomboy, Barbara, Blue Bird and Moosmie, the race now showing a lengthy tail. The wind had backed somewhat on this round, and it held at the new point during the final circuit. On the final interest centred in Phyllis and Coquette, for Mollie's lead made the win a certainty to her. On the closing stages of the beat it was seen that Coquette had come up on Phyllis, and they were close together at or off the hauling booy, Coquette coming through her opponent and the mark. What happened there will have to be decided by the Protest Committee for both came home flying protests on the rigging, Coquette leading. The finish was:—

| | H. | M. | S. |
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| Mollie (winner), Mr. A. E. Snow | 4 | 36 | 54 |
| Coquette, Mr. G. H. Jones | 4 | 37 | 45 |
| Phyllis, Mr. A. E. Newsom | 4 | 37 | 48 |
| Pansy, Mr. Jack Stephens | 4 | 39 | 5 |
| Barbara, Dr. J. T. Wigham | 4 | 39 | 50 |
| Tomboy, Messrs Barrett and Donnelly | 4 | 40 | 29 |
| Blue Bird, Dr. G. Pugin Meldon | 4 | 43 | 23 |
| Moosmie, Messrs. Brown and Curtis | 4 | 44 | 14 |

Mr. H. B. Newland was Officer of the Day.

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# POLO.

## ALL-IRELAND CLUB.

### OPENING OF THE SEASON.

Fine weather favoured the opening of the season at the All-Ireland Polo Club on Saturday afternoon, and there was a fairly large attendance, although the gathering in the members' enclosure was a small one. In all about seven hard chukkars were played. Ponies rode well, and the ground was in splendid order, while the form of the players was distinctly good for the first outing.

Captain Goulding got through a lot of hard work, playing back, and Mr. Trench was especially good in attack. Young Mr. Balding is improving with every game, and during the season he should be seen to fine advantage. He has been riding a lot at point-to-point meetings during the last couple of months. Captain Arnott has not lost any of his old dash. He was in the thick of things every time, and scored a couple of clever goals. Mr. Slocock, Mr. Lillis, and Mr. B. O'Reilly, all shaped well. Major Kirkwood and Mr. Shackleton also got in a lot of hard work, the latter playing well in defence. Taken all round the form augurs well for the season.

So far no tournament programme has been drawn up, but for the next few days only practice games will be played, and then the club will settle down to more serious work. The club is deserving of every support, and it is to be hoped that a large number of the public will take advantage of the privileges attached to pavilion membership. Strong support is expected from the Irish Army players this season, and altogether the prospects are bright. Amongst those out on Saturday were:—

Mr. B. O'Reilly, Mr. F. Lillis, Captain Goulding, Mr. J. W. Shackleton, Mr. W. Fitzgerald, Mr. C. Balding, Captain T. J. Arnott, Mr. J. A. B. Trench, Mr. E. S. Slocock, Mr. B. Daly, Major Kirkwood.

To-morrow, practice at 4.0 p.m.

# ASSOCIATION.

## THE CHARTY MATCH.

### SHAMROCK ROVERS STILL UNBEATEN.

The meeting of Shamrock Rovers and a selected team of Shelbourne at Ringsend, in aid of the Lakelands Orphanage, on Saturday, attracted a big crowd, but though the home club had the assistance of four players from St. James's Gate and one from Talbot United, they made but a poor show against the Free State League and cup winners, who won rather easily by 4-1. The selected side never settled down and combined badly, with the result that they failed to hold the good combination of the winners.

In the early part of the opening half the selected side looked like extending Rovers, and for some minutes shook them up considerably, but they cracked up, and fell away to nothing subsequently, and were out-played by a much better side for the remainder of the game. When Rovers settled down they gave a good exhibition of team play, all the men working with that perfect understanding which has proved so successful throughout their season. The wing play of both Jordan and O'Brien was a feature, the latter being particularly successful in getting the ball across to advantage, no fewer than three of the goals coming from his centres in the opening half, and all scored by Fullam.

In comparison the selected side played amateur football with little or no understanding between the players. The half-backs did fairly well, but most of their efforts were lost owing to the weakness of the attacking force. With the exception of Stynes and Wilson, the two Shelbourne players, the forward line was ineffective, combining and shooting badly. Had they taken the couple of chances which came their way in the early stages of the game they would have made a better show, but they were unequal to the task, and were a well outplayed side at the long whistle.

At the start Shelbourne set a good pace, and at once carried the game to Rovers' end, where good placing by Harris and M'Kay gave the forwards a footing, and Stynes had an ineffectual shot at goal, but they came back quickly, and Lalor missed an easy chance of taking the lead, and a moment later Wilson shot wide. Rovers got a hold of matters after this, and as the result of eight minutes' play Fullam got on to a good centre, and beat Coleman for the opening score. Following this, Rovers worked back on the right, and Jordan was only pulled up in the nick of time, and the selected halves opening out, Wilson got away on the left, and centred to Dowdall, who equalised. From this on Rovers had all the better of the exchanges, Fullam scoring twice from good centres by Jordan, and they crossed over, leading by three goals to one. In the second period Rovers took matters rather easily, but still were always masters of the game, and Flood added another goal before the final whistle.

### MUNSTER JUNIOR CUP.

At Victoria Cross, Cork, on Saturday Freebooters tied with Cove in the semi-final of the Munster Junior Cup. The pitch was in a bad state. No brilliant play was seen, but towards the end Freebooters attacked strongly, and succeeded in drawing the match at one goal each.

### MUNSTER SENIOR LEAGUE.

There was a good attendance at Ballinlough, Cork, yesterday, when, in the Munster Senior League, Cahir Park defeated Fordsons by 4 goals to 2. The visitors had much the stronger combination, and had generally the better of the play.

## THE RESULTS.

CHARITY MATCH.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Shamrock Rovers | 4 | Shelbourne Selected | 1 |

LEINSTER LEAGUE—I.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bohemians | 4 | Strandville | 1 |
| Brideville | 3 | Midland Athletic | 2 |

BELFAST CITY CUP.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Distillery | 1 | Linfield | 0 |
| Glentoran | 4 | Newry Town | 0 |
| Barn | 1 | Celtic | 0 |

ENGLISH LEAGUE—I.

| | Goals. | | Goals. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Aston Villa | 2 | Nottingham Forest | 0 |
| Bury | 2 | Arsenal | 0 |
| Cardiff City | 0 | Preston North End | 0 |
| Everton | 1 | Leeds United | 0 |
| Huddersfield Town | 1 | Liverpool | 1 |
| Manchester City | 1 | Tottenham Hotspur | 0 |
| Birmingham | 1 | Notts County | 0 |
| Sunderland | 1 | Burnley | 1 |
| West Brom. Albion | 0 | Bolton Wanderers | 0 |

ENGLISH LEAGUE—II.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Barnsley | 0 | Manchester United | 0 |
| Oldham Athletic | 1 | Crystal Palace | 0 |
| Derby County | 2 | Blackpool | 2 |
| Fulham | 1 | Port Vale | 1 |
| South Shields | 1 | Hull City | 0 |
| Leicester City | 4 | Stockport County | 0 |
| Portsmouth | 5 | Bradford City | 0 |
| The Wednesday | 0 | Clapton Orient | 0 |
| Southampton | 3 | Coventry City | 0 |
| Wolverhampton W. | 1 | Middlesbrough | 0 |

ENGLISH LEAGUE—III. (SOUTHERN).

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bournemouth United | 2 | Brentford | 1 |
| Brighton | 3 | Norwich City | 1 |
| Millwall | 2 | Gillingham | 0 |
| Newport County | 3 | Merthyr Town | 0 |
| Queen's P. Rangers | 3 | Southend United | 1 |
| Reading | 4 | Bristol Rovers | 1 |
| Swansea Town | 2 | Exeter City | 1 |
| Swindon Town | 3 | Bristol City | 0 |
| Watford | 0 | Charlton Athletic | 0 |

ENGLISH LEAGUE—III. (NORTHERN).

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Ashington | 2 | Southport | 0 |
| Durham City | 6 | Barrow | 0 |
| Bradford | 3 | Halifax Town | 1 |
| Lincoln City | 4 | Crewe Alexandra | 1 |
| New Brighton | 1 | Darlington | 0 |
| Chesterfield | 3 | Rotherham | 1 |
| Walsall | 1 | Hartlepools United | 1 |
| Wigan Borough | 4 | Tranmere Rovers | 0 |

# HANDBALL.

## G.A.A. CHAMPIONSHIP.

### D.M.P. QUALIFY FOR FINALS.

In Marshalsea court yesterday W. Fetherston won the Junior Soft Ball Championship for Clontarf by defeating P. Scanlan (Eire Og) (Army champion) by 3 games to 1. It was a hard-fought contest, both giving of their best, and the play and execution of strokes was above the junior standard. The Clontarf player had matters all his own way in the opening game, which he won by 15 aces.

The second game, however, found the Army champion playing an improved game, and Fetherston had to fight all the way. Half-way through, however, Scanlan became erratic, and 10-6 was called eight times before Fetherston added two aces. He pulled himself together when the score was called 20-13. He played in confident style, and in three hands had "Gameball all," when he was out by a long drive from Fetherston, who won the game by Scanlan driving over the side wall.

Give-and-take play marked the opening of the third game, until Scanlan, from 6-8, played the returns well, taking the lead 12-8, when he put out his hand by playing too strong. Fetherston added two aces, when Scanlan killed in the right corner, a shot he never failed to score on. Scanlan was leading 17-10 when Fetherston made a pull up and added four good aces with dead kills; 17-14 for Scanlan was called for three hands, and then the Clontarf player drew level and led 19-17, which lead he gained by kills after two grand rallies, when he had his hand out by just "raising the dust" in the right-hand corner. Scanlan in his subsequent hand had 19 all, and won his first game 21-19.

The fourth game, proved to be the last, opened in Scanlan's favour, and he led double aces at 8-4. Fetherston, getting in, turned the arrears into a lead of an ace, but then lost his hand by just failing his shot. Scanlan had 9 all when two hands went for 0, until Scanlan got in a grand kill after a nice rally. He got his 11th and 12th aces by a like stroke. He was leading 15-9 when a long return beat him. Fetherston in his hand was very cool in his execution, his killing being perfect, and he soon had 15 all, and was leading 17-15 when an angle cut by Scanlan had him out. The Eire Og player had the score 17 all. So keen was the play that three hands changed at the same score, but Fetherston in his second effort played steadily. After killing for the game ace, Scanlan lost the game by missing by inches. Scores:—

JUNIOR SOFT BALL FINAL.

W. Fetherston (Clontarf) beat P. Scanlan (Eire Og)—21-8, 21-20, 19-21, 21-17.

The postponed intermediate semi-final between R. Keogh (Clontarf) and C. Ryan (D.M.P.) resulted in the latter qualifying for the final, although when he started yesterday Keogh had the lead of 2 games to 1 from the previous Sunday. On the previous form Ryan was 200 per cent. a better man, and he played a game which surprised those who saw him play the week before. The opposite can be said about Keogh, who was not up to his first day's form. Although he fought well, his finishing lacked length against Ryan's speed, and Ryan, by winning the two games, qualified to meet J. Henry (University College) in the final. A word of praise is due to Keogh for his plucky stand. When Ryan was leading 17-12 he brought his score to 16 by neat play, only to lose the hand by missing when he had the ball at his mercy. Scores:—

Ryan beat Keogh—21-15, 21-16.

The semi-final of the Civic Guards Double-Handed Gold Medal Tournament, between T. J. O'Reilly and M. Joyce (D.M.P.) and J. McGrath and E. Solan (Civic Guards), was played at the Guards Court, Phoenix Park, yesterday. Owing to the wet weather, special care had been taken to have the floor in as good condition as possible.

The match was a real good one from the start, the players going all out and fighting hard for aces. The rubber was productive of many good exchanges—sometimes between Joyce and Solan, then with O'Reilly and McGrath, and, finally, with all four joining in. The hitting all round was powerful and very fast, while the killing was good. The serving was hot, but the players were in such excellent form for returning that very few aces were gained direct.

The first game was won by the D.M.P. by 21-19, and the other games were as finely contested; but the leaders held on best, won the second game by 21-16, and the last by 21-17.

The match for a gold medal between P. J. McDonagh (Irish and American Soft Ball Champion) and P. McGill (Metropolitan) was not so close as many anticipated, as after the first game there was only one player in it, and that was the champion. McGill could not give anything like the displays which he put up in the Double-Handed Championship, when he could not be improved on. McDonagh's play was simply that of a master, and inside a four-wall court he will take some beating. He does nothing without knowing what he is about, using his brains in all his strokes. McDonagh won the first game by 21-19 and the second by 21-7.

The final of the Clontarf Tournament, played yesterday, was won by T. Hughes, who defeated T. Carroll by 63-50.

# MOTOR CYCLING SPEED TRIALS.

## STANLEY WOODS MAKES FASTEST TIME.

The Ramblers' Motor Cycle and Light Car Club held a series of speed trials on the Ballyogan road, near Carrickmines, on Saturday. The section of the road over which the events were held is usually regarded as the most suitable for trials of this class in the neighbourhood of Dublin, and, although not quite level, is nearly so. It was in fair condition, and, as there was little wind, some fast times were recorded. The tests were run over a distance of a kilometre, with a flying start of approximately one hundred yards.

The solo machines were divided into the customary four classes—up to 250 c.c., up to 350 c.c., up to 600 c.c. and unlimited c.c.—and there were also two sidecar classes. All were open handicaps, and, incidentally, it may be said that the work of start allotting was very well done. There was also a members' handicap event, which was won by a son of the President, H. D. Walsh (2¾ h.p. Cotton), and, in addition, a scratch race. The latter was won by A. A. Wayte (3½ h.p. Sunbeam) in 27 2-5 secs., who beat Stanley Woods (8 h.p. New Imperial) by 2-5 secs. Wayte's time, however, was not so good as Woods' in the unlimited class handicap, in which he did 26 1-5 secs., this proving to be the fastest time.

The small class handicap was won by C. E. Gill (2½ h.p. Velocette), with 8 secs. start, the fastest time of the class being made by G. Burney (2½ h.p. Royal Enfield), from whom the handicap was framed, and who did 30 3-5 secs. Amongst the sidecars fastest time was ecured by G. Briggs (3½ h.p. Montgomery), who clocked 35 2-5 secs. and 35 3-5 secs., respectively, in his two attempts, securing, in addition, first place in each of the handicap classes.

The placings and times were:—

Class 1.—Sidecars up to 600 c.c.—(1) G. Briggs, 3½ h.p. Montgomery (1 sec.), 34 2-5 secs.; (2) W. A. Roberts, 3½ h.p. Norton (minus 1 sec.), 36 3-5 secs.; (3) F. Holmes, 3½ h.p. Triumph (scr.), 38 1-5 secs. Briggs had the fastest actual time with 35 2-5 secs.

Class 2.—Sidecars, unlimited.—(1) G. Briggs, 3½ h.p. Montgomery (1 sec.), 34 3-5 secs.; (*) F. Holmes, 3½ h.p. Triumph (sc.), 38 1-5 secs., and (*) W. A. Roberts, 3½ h.p. Norton (minus 1 sec.), 38 1-5 secs.; (4) S. W. Payne, 8 h.p. Enfield (2 secs.), 42 secs. (*) Tie. Brigg had the fastest actual time with 35 3-5 secs.

Class 3.—Solo machines, up to 250 c.c.—(1) C. E. Gill, 2½ h.p. Velocette (8 secs.), 29 4-5 secs.; (2) J. C. Burney, 2½ h.p. Enfield (scr.), 30 3-5 secs.; (3) C. W. Mansel, 2¼ h.p. Cotton (7 secs.), 30 4-5 secs.; (4) J. L. Le Fanu, 2¼ h.p. New Imperial (9 secs.), 32 1-5 secs.; (5) H. G. Tyrrell-Smith, 2¼ h.p. Blackburne (2 secs.), 32 4-5 secs.; (6) T. G. Byrne, 2¼ h.p. Excelsior (6 secs.), 34 secs.; (7) J. A. H. Waters 1½ h.p. Francis-Barnett (9 secs.), 34 1-5 secs.; (8) C. H. Manders, 2¼ h.p. Imperial (1 sec.), 39 4-5 secs. J. C. Burney (scr.) had the fastest actual time.

Class 4.—Solo machines, up to 350 c.c.—(1) T. G. Byrne, 2¾ h.p. Excelsior (8 secs.), 27 3-5 secs.; (*) C. W. Maunsell, 2¾ h.p. Cotton (9 secs.), 29 1-5 secs. and (*) T. F. Slevin, 2¾ h.p. New Imperial (1 sec.), 29 1-5 secs.; (4) R. C. Hewitt, 2¾ h.p. A.J.S. (3 secs.), 29 3-5 secs.; (5) W. R. M. Hewitt, 2¾ h.p. A.J.S. (2 secs.), 29 4-5 secs.; (6) P. R. Seale, 2¾ h.p. Montgomery (1 sec.), 29 3-5 secs.; (7) H. D. Walsh, 2¾ h.p. Cotton (6 secs.), 20 2-5 secs.; (8) D. McCrae, 2¾ h.p. O.K. Bradshaw (3 3-5 secs.), 30 2-5 secs.; (9) J. Clements, 2¾ h.p. O.K. Bradshaw (4 secs.), 32 secs.; (10) H. T. Smith, 2¾ h.p. Blackburne (4 secs.), 31 2-5 secs.; (11) A. Wallen, 2¾ h.p. A.J.S. (1 sec.), 31 4-5 secs.; (*) F. Moore, 2¾ h.p. Chater-Lee (4 secs.), 32 secs. and (*) C. Yeates, 2¾ h.p. Matchless (2 3-5 secs.), 32 secs.; (15) D. McKay, 2¾ h.p. Enfield (2 3-5 secs.), 32 1-5 secs.; (16) G. V. B. Cooke, 2¾ h.p. Sunbeam (4 secs.), 32 3-5 secs.; (17) S. Wallen, 2¾ h.p. New Gerrard (2 3-5 secs.), 32 3-5 secs.; (18) C. W. Taylor, 2¾ h.p. Rover (2 secs.), 33 2-5 secs.; (19) T. H. Byrne, 2¾ h.p. Cotton (2 3-5 secs.), 38 2-5 secs.; (33) G. Burney, 2¾ h.p. Enfield (2 3-5 secs.), 36 secs.; (21) J. A. H. Waters, 1½ h.p. Francis-Barnett (11 secs.), 36 1-5 secs.; (22) C. Manders, 2¾ h.p. New Imperial (3 secs.), 38 2-5 secs.; (23) G. Burney, 2¾ Enfield (scr.), stopped.

T. F. Slevin had the fastest actual time.

(*) Maunsell and Slevin tied for second place, the run-off resulting in Slevin securing the second position with 28 1-5 secs., as against Maunsell's 29 3-5 secs.

Class 5.—Solo machines up to 600 c.c.—(1) R. C. Hewitt, 2¾ h.p. A.J.S. (5 1-5 secs.), 25 2-5 secs.; (2) T. F. Slevin, 3½ h.p. New Imperial (3 1-5 secs.), 26 3-5 secs.; (3) W. R. M. Hewitt, 2¾ h.p. A.J.S. (4 1-5 secs.), 27 2-5 secs.; (*) P. R. Seale, 2¾ h.p. Montgomery (3 1-5 secs.), 27 3-5 secs.; (*) A. A. Wayte, 3½ h.p. Sunbeam (scr.), 27 3-5 secs.; (6) G. Burney, 2¾ h.p. Enfield (2 1-5 secs.), 27 3-5 secs.; (7) C. P. V. Tanner, 3½ h.p. Norton (2-5 secs.), 28 1-5 secs.; (8) D. McCrae, 2¾ h.p. O.K. Bradshaw (4 4-5 secs.), 29 secs.; (*) H. Byrne, 2¾ h.p. Cotton (4 4-5 secs.), 29 2-5 secs.; (*) H. Phillipson, 3½ h.p. Scott Squirrell (5 secs.), 29 2-5 secs.; (*) G. Briggs, 3½ h.p. Montgomery (3-5 secs.), 29 2-5 secs.; (12) W. M. Wallace, 3½ h.p. Sunbeam (2-5 secs.), 29 3-5 secs.; (13) W. H. McVitty, 3½ h.p. Norton (scr.), 30 secs.; (*) J. F. "Bush," 3½ h.p. Norton (3 secs.), 30 1-5 secs.; (*) A. Wallen, 2¾ h.p. A.J.S. (3 1-5 secs.), 30 1-5 secs.; (16) F. Holmes, 3½ h.p. Triumph (2-5 secs.), 30 2-5 secs.; (*) S. Wallen, 2¾ h.p. New Gerrard (4 4-5 secs.), 30 3-5 secs.; (*) G. V. B. Cooke, 2¾ h.p. Sunbeam (3 1-5 secs.), 30 3-5 secs.; (19) C. W. Taylor, 2¾ h.p. Rover (4 1-5 secs.), 31 secs.; (20) J. A. H. Waters, 1½ h.p. Francis Barnett (13 1-5 secs.), 31 1-5 secs.; (21) J. Leet, 2¾ h.p. Enfield (4 4-5 secs.), 33 secs.; (22) H. Harrison, 3½ h.p. Norton (6 secs.), 36 1-5 secs.

D. J. C. Mangan, 3½ h.p. Norton (5 secs.), stopped. A. A. Wayte (scr.) had the fastest actual time.

Class 6.—Unlimited solo machines—(1) R. C. Hewitt, 2¾ h.p. A.J.S. (7 2-5 secs.), 24 secs.; (2) T. F. Slevin, 3½ h.p. New Imperial (5 1-5 secs.), 25 1-5 secs.; (3) G. Burney, 2¾ h.p. Enfield (4 1-5 secs.), 25 2-5 secs.; (4) A. A. Wayte, 3½ h.p. Sunbeam (2 secs.), 26 3-5 secs.; (5) W. R. Hewitt, 2¾ h.p. A.J.S. (6 1-5 secs.), 26 4-5 secs.; (6) S. Woods, 8 h.p. New Imperial (scr.), 26 1-5 secs.; (7) D. McCrae, 2¾ h.p. O.K. Bradshaw (6 4-5 secs.), 26 2-5 secs.; (8) A. Wallen, 2¾ h.p. A.J.S. (5 1-5 secs.), 26 3-5 secs.; (9) W. H. McVitty, 3½ h.p. Norton (2 secs.), 26 4-5 secs.; (*) P. R. Seale, 2¾ h.p. Montgomery (5 1-5 secs.), 27 secs.; (*) H. G. Tyrrell Smith, 2¾ h.p. Blackburne (2 1-5 secs.), 27 secs.; (12) T. H. Byrne, 2¾ h.p. Cotton (6 4-5 secs.), 27 3-5 secs.; (*) C. Yeates, 2¾ h.p. Matchless (6 4-5 secs.), 27 3-5 secs.; (*) G. Briggs, 3½ h.p. Montgomery (2 3-5 secs.), 27 3-5 secs.; (15) G. V. B. Cooke, 2¾ h.p. Sunbeam (5 1-5 secs.), 27 4-5 secs.; (*) J. F. "Bush," 3½ h.p. Norton (5 secs.), 28 1-5 secs.; (17) W. M. Wallace, 3½ h.p. Sunbeam (2 2-5 secs.), 28 1-5 secs.; (18) J. A. H. Waters, 1½ h.p. Francis Barnett (18 1-5 secs.), 29 1-5 secs.; (19) O. Leet, 2¾ h.p. Enfield (6 4-5 secs.), 30 1-5 secs.; (20) C. P. V. Tanner, 8 h.p. Coventry Eagle (1 sec.), 30 1-5 secs. S. Woods made the fastest time in this class, with 26 1-5 secs., which was also the fastest time of the day.

Class 7.—Open Scratch, solo machines—(1) A. A. Wayte, 3½ h.p. Sunbeam, 27 2-5 secs.; (2) S. Woods, 8 h.p. New Imperial, 27 4-5 secs.; (3) G. Burney, 2¾ h.p. Enfield, 29 secs.; (4) W. McVitty, 3½ h.p. Norton, 29 3-5 secs.; (5) C. P. V. Tanner, 8 h.p. Coventry Eagle, 30 1-5 secs.; (6) F. Holmes, 4 h.p. Triumph, 30 2-5 secs.; (7) W. H. Wallace, 3½ h.p. Sunbeam, 31 secs.; (8) G. V. B. Cooke, 2¾ h.p. Sunbeam, 32 1-5 secs.; (9) J. F. "Bush," 3½ h.p. Norton, 33 1-5 secs.; (10) A. Wallen, 2¾ h.p. A.J.S., 34 3-5 secs.

Class 8.—Closed Unlimited Event for solo machines—(1) H. D. Walsh, 2¾ h.p. Cotton (10 1-5 secs.), 24 1-5 secs.; (2) C. Maunsell, 2¾ h.p. Cotton (13 1-5 secs.), 25 1-5 secs.; (3) W. R. Hewitt, 2¾ h.p. A.J.S. (6 1-5 secs.), 26 1-5 secs.; (*) J. A. H. Waters, 1½ h.p. Francis Barnett (15 1-5 secs.), 26 4-5 secs.; (*) J. L. Le Fanu, 2¾ h.p. New Imperial (15 1-5 secs.), 26 4-5 secs.; (*) R. C. Hewitt, 2¾ h.p. A.J.S. (7 1-5 secs.), 27 secs.; (*) S. Woods, 8 h.p. New Imperial (scr.), 27 secs.; (8) J. Clements, 2¾ h.p. O.K. Bradshaw (8 1-5 secs.), 28 2-5 secs.; (9) J. F. "Bush," 3½ h.p. Norton (5 secs.), 29 secs.; (10) G. V. B. Cooke, 2¾ h.p. Sunbeam (5 1-5 secs.), 29 1-5 secs.; (11) O. Leet, 2¾ h.p. Enfield (6 4-5 secs.), 32 1-5 secs.; (12) C. W. Manders, 2¾ h.p. New Imperial (7 1-5 secs.), 33 1-5 secs.; (13) W. A. Harrison, 3½ h.p. Norton (8 secs.), 34 secs.

Stanley Woods (scr.) had the fastest actual time.

* Tie.

# CHESS.

## DECIDING GAME FOR THE ARMSTRONG CUP.

The Armstrong Cup contest of 1925 has been decided, after the most obstinate struggle for its possession yet known in the history of the trophy. As the Dublin and Sackville Clubs have tied in the general contest, a match between them became necessary to decide the tie. This was played on April 20th, and at the close of play Dublin had secured a score of four points out of eight, just short of the requisite majority, and two games remained unfinished.

One of these was between Messrs. Cranston and Baker, the former and the present chess champions of Ireland, and first players for their respective clubs, Dublin and Sackville. On Saturday it was resumed on the 32nd move, which was a sealed move by Mr. Cranston (White). The game was of the Queen's Pawn variety, and White, after considerable angling in that direction, had won a piece. This, however, was compensated for by Black's superiority in pawns—6 to 4; and many strong players regarded the issue as very open. One tempting move by White would have resulted in a clear win for his opponent; it need hardly be said this was not the move recorded in the sealed envelope.

The White player devoted himself to a steady development of the pressure at his disposal, following the example of his opponent in several games of the memorable struggle between them last year for the Irish Championship. This told, and on the 38th move White won a pawn; on the 42nd he won another, and Black, being left to face Bishop and four pawns, with four pawns and an indefensible position, at once resigned. Thus, for a year to come, the Armstrong Cup remains in the possession of the Dublin Chess Club, who promise to be as persistent in their retention of the trophy against all comers, as at one time were their rivals of the Sackville.

### INTERNATIONAL TOURNAMENT.

*BADEN BADEN, May 3.*

In the afternoon's play in the 18th round of the International Chess Tournament, Tarrasch lost to Roselli, Reti lost to Saemisch and Colle lost to Marshall. The game between Treybal and Thomas was drawn, and that between Gruenfeld and Rubinstein was adjourned, the chances appearing even. Yates beat Carls, Nimzowitsch beat Mieses and Alekhine beat Rabinowitsch. Torre lost to Bogoljuboff and Te Kolste lost to Spielmann.

The scores are as follow:—Alekhine, 11; Gruenfeld, 8½ and one adjourned game; Rubinstein, 8 and one adjourned game; Saemisch and Marshall, 8; Rabinowitsch, 7½; Bogoljuboff, Niemzowitsch, Spielmann and Tartakower, 7; Torre, 6½; Carls and Treybal, 6; Yates, 5½; Tarrasch and Thomas, 5; Reti, 4½; Colle, Mieses and Roselli, 3½; Te Kolste, 1.

# GAELIC GAMES.

## KILKENNY'S DOUBLE IN LEINSTER CHAMPIONSHIP.

A fortnight ago Kilkenny hurlers won rather luckily against Leix in the 1925 championship. Yesterday the Nore footballers won comfortably in both grades, and enter the second rounds with good credentials. The attendance at Croke Park was not up to expectations. It was largely made up of the supporters of the rival teams from their counties.

The junior match was a neck and neck struggle. Longford had a strong breeze behind them in the first half, running up a strong sequence of points. Kilkenny were heavier, and adopting forcing tactics, they ran through two goals in quick succession. Longford were very aggressive near the half-way mark, and turned over on level terms, 6 points each.

Against the wind the Longford juniors played fine football for ten minutes, running up three points quickly as a result of accurate fielding and shooting. Then Kilkenny recovered and wound up the hour with great dash. Goals were their objective, and the shooting of Vereker and Dunne near the end decided the issue. Flynn, Landy and Coleman were very useful in attack. For Longford, Burke, Marsden and McQuaide played well. Final score:—

Kilkenny—4 goals 5 points (17 points).
Longford—11 points.

The senior game provided a close and exciting struggle for half-an-hour. Longford again won the toss, and from a great run of O'Reilly's, on the right wing, the Midlanders opened the scoring. Forcing the play from the kick out, Kilkenny had several frees, and Nunan levelled matters as a result of a clever dribbling movement. From a free Longford went into the lead and had hard luck in hitting the post in their next shot. Price was doing useful work on Kilkenny's left wing, and some strong punting by T. Ryan led up to their second score. Like the juniors, the senior teams turned over on level terms, 2 points each.

Kilkenny asserted their superiority early in the second half. They were better fielders and far more accurate before goal. Nunan, Donnelly, Price and Ryan gave Longford's defenders a hot time. Nunan got a fine goal, and another came from a ruck, in which the whole team charged. Longford played spiritedly to the close, and kicked a long range point through just before the end. Final score:—

Kilkenny—2 goals 3 points.
Longford—3 points.

Referee—Mr. Sean O'Neill.

### DUBLIN CHAMPIONSHIP.

Young Irelands and St. Kevins met at Croke Park in the evening in the opening match of the Dublin 1925 Senior Hurling Championship. There was a fine attendance, and the hurling was of a very good standard. Young Irelands had the advantage in the earlier stages. Ryan and McEnerney forced home a series of attacks. Kevins back line was good, Carroll bringing off some fine clearances. Spillane opened the scoring for Young Irelands, and then McEnerney shot a great goal when surrounded by opponents. Kevins made some clever runs, but their more experienced opponents crossed over with a comfortable lead. Half-time:—

Young Irelands—2 goals 3 points.
St. Kevins—Nil.

The hurling in the second half was open, accurate and well-balanced, with Kevins showing up splendidly. Bray and McMahon led up to two well-earned scores, and the match became exciting. Some clever hurling by Conway and Power for Young Irelands again turned the game in their favour, and accurate shots secured further goals for the leaders. Kevins fought every inch of the way, and a beautifully combined movement by their forwards ended in Bray netting. It was a bright, fast, open match all the way through, but Young Irelands were distinctly superior. Final score:—

Young Irelands—5 goals 3 points.
St. Kevins—2 goals 1 point.

The most exciting match of the day was that between Kickhams and D.M.P., in the opening match of the 1925 Senior Football League. Playing with the wind, D.M.P. had the earlier advantages in territory, pinning Kickhams to their posts. From an opening by Magan, Doyle raced away and goaled. Some hot exchanges followed and Ryan kicked a point for D.M.P. from far out. Kickhams recovered: O'Beirne, Aylward and Hunt put in some vigorous work, and Judge and McGuinness kicked points before the half-way.

The closing stages, played in a heavy drizzle, were productive of fast, earnest football. Kickhams narrowed the margin and were fighting hard for scores after twenty minutes. The weight of the D.M.P. men told in the greasy conditions, and Werrick made a sensational run along the left wing. He trapped the ball in his own territory, passed man after man, and wound up with a great shot from fifteen yards' out, which found the net. It was the deciding score. Result:—

D.M.P.—2 goals 2 points.
Kickhams—3 points.

In the Leinster College ties on Saturday, St. Finnians, Mullingar, won against Belcamp, by a big score. Later games with Blackrock and Terenure promise exciting struggles.

### WEXFORD v. DUBLIN.

Wexford beat Dublin by 3 goals 2 points to 2 goals 2 points, at the Show Grounds, Enniscorthy, on Sunday, in a Gaelic Football match in aid of the Hodgins' Memorial.

## FITZGIBBON CUP.

### HOLDERS DEFEATED AT CORK.

At the University College grounds, Mardyke, Cork, yesterday, the Cork University team captured the Fitzgibbon (hurling) Cup by defeating the holders, University College, Dublin, in the final. On Friday Cork had defeated Galway, whom Dublin were also successful against on Saturday. Yesterday's match was a sternly contested game from start to finish. The final score was:—

Cork—7 goals 1 point.
Dublin—2 goals 2 points.

## LONDON BETTING—SATURDAY.

At the principal offices on Saturday three horses only came in for notice in the Derby, and the same number in the Jubilee. Manna was the best-backed for the chief event, 7 to 1 being taken and again offered. Many of the chief operators have not yet opened their books on the Jubilee, consequently the quotations must be taken for what they are worth. Details:—

THE DERBY.
(Run Wednesday, May 27. Distance—1½ m.)

11 to 2 Ptolemy (t. and o.) ........ France
7 to 1 Manna (t. and o.) ........ F. Darling
100 to 6 Cross Bow (t. and o.) ........ A. Taylor

GREAT JUBILEE HANDICAP.
(Run Saturday, May 9. Distance—1m. 2f.)

7 to 1 Salmon Trout (t. and o.), 4, 8-6 Dawson
9 to 1 Twelve Pointer (o., 10 to 1 t.), 5, 9-2 Persse
10 to 1 Obliterate (o., 100 to 9 t.) ......Colling

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## OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

CHESTER MEETING.

Stamford Two-year-old Stakes—Lip Stick and The Sloat.
Dee Stakes—Phallas.
Chester Vase—Royalist, Swiss Guard and Cyrus, at 11.22 a.m. Friday.
Belgrave Stakes—Polymorphous.
Great Cheshire High-Weight Handicap—Noce d'Argent.
Ormonde Stakes—Spear Dance.
Dee Stand Selling Welter Handicap—Gold Willow.

KEMPTON PARK MEETING.

Spring Two-year-old Stakes—Lip Stick and Silvretta.
Sunbury Two-year-old selling Plate—Lady Derelict filly.
Kempton Park May Auction Plate—Lady Derelict filly.
Prince of Wales's Stakes—Phaltan.
Spelthorne Three-year-old Stakes—Vainqueur.

LINGFIELD MEETING.

Lingfield Park Spring Stakes—Tom Pinch.
Lingfield Spring Two-year-old Plate—St. Abbot, Eclipta and Bayona.
Felbridge Three-year-old Handicap—Compromise Slope and Racla.
Four Elms Maiden Plate—Sharp Eyes.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Doncaster St. Leger Stakes—Tournament II., Troubadour III., Mont de Cerisy and Mikael, at 9 a.m. Saturday.
Rockingham Handicap, York—Vaddy and Stuff Gown.
Bredon Hill Steeplechase, Pershore—Merry Miner.
Land of Plums Steeplechase, Pershore—Roman Candle.
Givendale Selling Welter Handicap, Ripon—Royal Pilot.
Ripon Spring Meeting engagements—Cross Road, Winter Queen filly (2 yrs.), and Lady's Mantle filly (2 yrs.).
Isle of Wight engagements—Ivy Mount and Silver Sounne.

## CURRAGH TRAINING NOTES.

*THE CURRAGH, Saturday.*

A fine morning.
PARKINSON'S Templelyon galloped a mile and a quarter; Lomondias, Father Tom, Slieveroe and Wild Orb travelled a mile; Flying Spray, six furlongs.
BEHAN'S Maid of the Heath, Duncairn and Vesington Orb traversed seven furlongs at a good pace.
DAWSON'S Mary Patricia went a mile and a half; Silver Morsel and Tony Lad a like journey, steadily; Duke of Monaclear came seven furlongs.
DOYLE'S Lisles, Tipperary Boy, and Fethernadale traversed a mile and a quarter at a good pace; Sunnyray went six furlongs; Zulu Queen and Minnetonka covered five furlongs sharply.
MORGAN'S Newtown Wonder and Noble Princess galloped a mile.
FORDRED'S St. Donagh went six furlongs; Green Band a like distance, at a nice pace.
ROGERS'S Marchesi travelled a mile and a half; Flying Dinah, Bridgeman, Sharman, Lady Woodcote and others were usefully employed.
COOMBS'S Voltoi, Ceylonese, Portumna and Achtoi indulged in healthy exercise.

On the resumption of play in the International Chess Tournament at Baden Baden on Saturday the adjourned games were finished. Thomas beat Reti after an interesting end game. The games between Colle and Carls, Yates and Rabinowitsch, and Reti and Treybal were drawn. Carls beat Tarrasch. The scores are now as follows:—Alekhine, 10; Gruenfeld, 8½; Rubinstein, 8; Rabinowitsch, 7½; Marshal, Saemisch, and Tartakower, 7; Torre, 6½; Bogoljuboff, Niemzowitsch, Spielmann, and Carls, 6; Treybal, 5½; Tarrasch, 5; Reti, Thomas, and Yates, 4½; Colle and Mieses, 3½; Roselli, 2½; Te Kolste, 1.

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| No. MC 38—Fine Strong Cotton Pillow Cases. 20" x 30" | 1/7 ,, |
| No. MC 39.—Extra Strong Heavy Linen Finish. Horrockses' 20" x 30" | 2/- ,, |
| Extra wide ditto 22" x 30" | 2/4 ,, |
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| | Sale. |
|---|---|
| Washed, ready for use. All Pure Linen. | 20" x 30". |
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| No. M 29.—Superior medium-weight | 5/6 |
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No. M 6—**H.S. Valance,** superior quality Linen finish Cotton, 20 in. deep.
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PILLOW CASES

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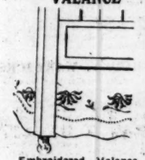

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No. MC 40.—Strong Linen Finish Cotton Pillow Cases, 20" x 30" ... **2/9** each
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